THE KENDALL WHALING MUSEUM
Sharon, Massachusetts USA
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Phantom Ship, Rover of the Reefs Pirates of Cape Ann. The Bankers Daughter, The Daughter of Night, The Chevilier or Secrets Passage. Alph, Portina Woodman, Gallant Jon, The Death Hand, The Shannock Gallion, a romance of the Corsair Kidd. The Lame Devil or Asthemadins in Boston.

I send the names of the Books that William D Agee read before leaving the Barque Sea Queen

Benjamin A. Freeman
Bark
Sea Queen

Names of the officers
and crew of the
Barque Sea Queen

Joseph	Marshall	Capt
Wm F	Snow	1st Mate
Edward	Coffin	2nd Mate
John	Smith	3rd Mate

Benjamin F. Freeman

Barque Sea Queen. Outward bound.
Destination, South Sea on a three years cruiz
for Sperm Whales. carries 1800 bbls. of oil

October

Officers & crew, Joseph Marshall, Capt.
Wm Snow 1st Mate Edward Coffin
2nd Mate ~~Edw~~ 3d mate. Smith 2nd
Boat Steerers, Edward Burdet, Randel
Cornel, Andrew Sansbury.
Crew. H Peabody, Richard Borden
H. C. Whippey, James Wilson ~~Wm~~ ~~Martin~~
James Hamilton, Henry Powers, Benja A
Freeman, Francis Brown, Emanuel Wolfe,
John Watts Edward A Boyd, Edin Ebart
George Patterson, ~~Wm~~ Meyer, Francis
Charles Litchall, & Amos Baley. & cooper.

Wednesday Oct 15th 1851

Set sail from New Bedford at 10 oclock
A M. and went to sea with a Northwest
bound. The pilot left us at 1/2 oclock.
At 7 oclock the watches were set for
the voyage.

Oct 16th

Fine breeze, nothing of any importance,
except we were engaged in learning
how to steer

October 17th

Nothing of any importance occured.

October 18th

Wind blowing fresh, running under
close reefed Topsails

Oct 19th

Wind from the South, blowing a heavy
gale, had one of the boats knocked off
the Cranes, and stove but succeeded
in getting her on board again.

1851
October

Oct 20th.

Wind has gone down considerable but there is a very heavy sea on. 3 oclock P.M. Running under close reefed topsails

October 21st.

Wind blowing a gale, with a very heavy sea on. Called all hands to take in sail. 3 oclock P.M. laying too under bare poles.

October 22nd

Wind has gone down some but continues very rough.

October 23d

Fine weather, nothing of any importance occured to day.

October 24th

Blowing a fine breeze, carrying every stick of canvas that will draw

Sat 25th Light winds and pleasant weather, all hands employed in filling the casts, heading to the Eastward

Sun 26th Light winds and plesent weather saw a Skool of Sperm whales at 8 oclock A.M. Lowered away 2 boats at 10 oclock. Got fast to two whales but lost one, brought the other alongside at 2 oclock P.M. Saw 4 sails one was a whaler. Saw plenty of whales at sunset, going to windward. Mr Snow Master

10 Bbls Sperm

Mr Snow

Mon 27th Strong breezes, with a heavy sea on, Commenced cutting in the whale at daylight, finished boiling at Midnight.

1851

October

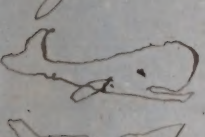
Tues 28th Light winds with cloudy weather The watch employed fitting the boats Headed S. S. W.

Wed 29th Light winds & pleasant weather Raised whales at 10 A.M. Lowered away two boats, and got one along- side at 12 o'clock. took dinner, and comm- cutting, had all in but the head at dark, left it out all night, about 20 sharks around it; pleasant at dark, took all sail in, heading South by west. Snow Flexible

30 Bbls Sp Whale

Thur 30th Blowing a strong gale from the South East, Called all hands at day light to hoist in the head, got it in and started the fires at noon There is a very heavy sea on, and the rolls so bad that we can't keep the pots more than half full, heavy rain squalls all day, The pots caught fire once and came very near burning the ship So ends the day.

Fry 31st Strong gale of wind, with rain, Bad work boiling, Ship rolls very bad, saw whales all day but it was to rough to lower for them. Finished boiling at dark. We made 30 barrels.



November

Sat 1st Light winds and pleasant weather made sail & stood S. E by E. Saw two large black fish just before dark.

Sun 2nd Strong breezes with rain, took in all sail, but the fore sail & main topsail

1851

November Bark Sea Queen.

November

Mon 3d Light winds & pleasant weather. employed in setting up the rigging and fitting the boats. The captains wife sick

Tues 4th Strong breezes, with heavy rain squalls Set the main t'gallant sail, Steering E. S E. Set up the mizen topmast stays

Wed 5th Strong wind with squalls of rain. Running under double reefed topsails Saw a Schooner last night bound E.

Thurs 6th Strong breezes with rain, Saw land at daylight off the weather beam, which proved to be the isle of Flores. Saw two sails off the Lee bow, the wind ahead.

Fry 7th A strong gale of wind from the south and east, took in all sail. but the maintopsail & Storm staysail Saw a barque to windward.

Sat 8th A gale of wind with rain squalls Saw a topsail Schooner to windward our starboard left

Sun 9 A heavy gale of wind all the time from the 9th to the 17th took in every rag but the Storm staysail. and sent down the royal & t'gallant yards, and lashed every thing to the deck. Had to take in the waist boat and lash it to the fly works to keep it from being washed away. I was frightened very bad. We all expected to see the masts go overboard, and had the axes ready to clear away the wreck. She shipped one very

heavy Sea while I was at the helm that covered me all up, and I stood in the Sky light. There was none of us Expected to live out the gale, but she behaved very well, and rode out the gale without loosing a single Spar. Saw the isle of Corvo, & 3 or 4 Ships during the gale. So Ends the gale.

Tues 18 Blowing a gale again, all sail in but the Stay sails.

Wed 19th Strong wind with rain, Saw the land. Corvo.

Thur 20th Strong Breeze with rain, Saw some porpaises, Bad weather.

Fry 21st Strong wind with rain Squalls Saw a Ship Laid to windward.

Sat 22 Fine breeze & pleasant weather Set every sail that would draw 2 Oclock P.M. took in the flying jib & Gaff-topsail, Had some rain Squalls at Sun Set

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Sunday 23d Letters I have sent home
At Fayal Sent 4
By the ship Callao sent 2
By the Barque Lenark 2
At Payta sent 1 ~~in [illegible]~~
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Nov 7th 1 at Payta

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November 22nd

Saturday Wind blowing from the South East can see three Islands, St George, Pico & Fayal, 5 oclock P M: within 4 miles of Fayal, find that we can't get in before dark so we stand out to sea again.

Nov 23d

Sunday Stood into the bay, and took the Captain and his wife ashore, All Hands employed in getting ready to anchor Come very near going ashore through the carelessness of the man at the helm 2 oclock P M. Got orders to stand out to sea till the 26th. 5 oclock P M. 10 miles to the eastward of Fayal.

Nov 24th

Monday Laying off and on within 6 miles of Fayal. Wind blowing from the South East. Under double reefed fore top sail and close reefed main topsail. Broke the bridgen peak while mooring Ship. Discharged the 3d Mate the 23d

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Nov

Bark. Sea Queen. Westport.

Tues 25th Strong breezes, with heavy rain squalls. Laying on within 6 miles of Pico Close reefed fore & main top sails. Employed in making boat sails. 11 o'clock more ship, fine weather nearly Calm

Nov 26th

Nearly calm, very pleasant weather within 6 miles of Fayal going in. 11 o'clock Captain came on board In the harbor, sent our oil ashore discharged Martin & Boyd. and shipped a 3d mate and 6 Portuguese. Captains wife had a young daughter He gave us orders to stand out and cruiz a month and went ashore.

Nov 27th

Strong breezes with heavy rain squalls Heading W by N. Engaged in fitting up harpoons & lances. 12 o'clock M. rain a large thermometer of our weather Now, didn't lower for him, 7 o'clock P. M. still raining, furled the fore top sail & close reefed the main. So ends.

Nov 28th

Pleasant weather, and nearly calm, Sailing, S & by E. employed in setting down the land peak of Pico. Saw black fish off Starboard bow. 8 o'clock P M. More ship. Heading W by N. blowing strong, took in fib, main sail, and close reefed the top sails.

Nov 29th

Strong breeze steering S. by E. Saw land of Gorlitzes. Nothing more of any importance. our third mate is leaving us

Barque Sea Queen. Marshall Captain

1851 Sunday Nov 30th 1851

Fine breeze, heading E. & E. Saw two ships of our weather bow & one dark of our lee bow, Saw land peak of Pico, Tacked Ship and Stood South.

December Monday Dec 1st 1851

Fine breeze, Steering S. by E. Manned my first mast head, Saw a finback whale. Watch engaged in making sword mats and putting them up.

Tuesday Dec 2nd

Early calm, Steering S by E, engaged in breaking out of the water, 12 o'clock Tacked Ship Steering W. nothing in sight.

Wednesday Dec 3d.

Light breeze, with rain, Steering W.N.W. Engaged in setting up rigging, Saw a large Sea turtle & school of Finbacks took a reef in the Topsails, Tacked Ship at dark, heading South. so ends.

Thursday Dec 4th

Dead calm. Engaged in making sails nothing in sight,

Friday Dec 5th

Light breeze, Steering South East; 8 o'clock saw a sail, off our lee bow, 11 o'clock run down an spoke him, Danish, coming from Batavia bound to Amburgh, Saw a Finback at noon, all hands engaged in breaking out of the hold.

Saturday Dec 6th

Light wind, Steering S.S.E, Nothing in sight, Mate offered $5 Dollars to the man that would raise a whale, Tacked ship, at dark

York Sea Queen, at Sea. 1851

Sunday Dec 7th

Full topsail breeze, tacked ship at 8 o'clock AM & stood N. by E. 4 o'clock PM. tacked again & stood N.E. by N. shooting in sight. so ends

Monday Dec 8th

strong breeze, 3 AM took in fib & staysail, 5 AM, wind increasing close reefed the topsails, 8 AM blowing a gale, furled the fore & fore topsail carrying nothing but fore topmast stay & main topsail close reefed. nothing in sight. so ends this day.

Tuesday 9th Dec 1851.

Gale moderating, but a tremendous sea ran. carrying main staysail & topsail 3 o'clock raised a schooner on our weather bow. 9 AM lowered the fore & fore topsail, spoke an English brig at 12 o'clock PM, from Valparaiso, bound to Liverpool. 4 o'clock PM, saw a large ship off our lee quarter, nearly calm

Wednesday Dec 10th 1851

Dead calm. the sea as smooth as glass. Engaged in reading "The Phantom Ship" a novel by Capt Marryatt. the Chronometers differ a degree, 6 o'clock have a fine breeze, but looks squally to windward. heading East, so, "so ends"

Thursday Dec 11th 1851

Fine breeze, with squalls, steering N.E. found for Fatal per the Captain's pilot, thought we saw land at 4 o'clock but it proved to be cape Ortegal. all hands employed in getting boats & sails 6 o'clock. looks squally took a reef in the topsails. & stowed the jib & [illegible]

Barque Sea Queen At Sea 1851.

December Friday Dec 12th 1851

Strong breeze with rain last night, but quite calm this morning. 12 o'clock light breeze steering N.E. by E. Sighting in sight. So. Ends the Day

Saturday Dec 13th 1851

Strong breeze with heavy rain squalls. Heading S.S.W. Saw a water-spout on our weather quarter at 9 o'clock A.M. Passed about a mile astern of us. 1 o'clock P.M. Saw a barque of our weather beam.

Sunday Dec 14th 1851

Head winds, running close to the wind under full topsails. Course N.E. Saw Pico, Fayal & St George. Tacked ship at 7 o'clock P.M. Heading west. Took a reef in the topsails.

Monday Dec 15th 1851.

Running close to the wind; steering west. 12 o'clock M. wore ship head N.N.E. Land no nearer than it was last night, and not to make the wind changes. Saw a school of porpoises. 7 o'clock took a reef in the topsails & hauled mainsail.

Tuesday Dec 16th

Fair wind, got into Fayal Roads at 2 o'clock. Saw a vessel about 15 miles off dismasted, sent a schooner to her assistance not heard from her yet. Sent a boat ashore for the captain but he wont come off till morning 9 o'clock P.M. was struck with a very heavy squall, nearly putting us on our beam ends So. Ends this day

Barque Sea Queen 1851

1851 Wednesday Dec 17th

Head winds running close to the wind under full topsails wind a Ranger about 11 A.M. So ends the day

Thursday Dec 18th

Standing towards Fayal with a fair wind saw a dismasted vessel about 10 P.M. went on shore took the Captain aboard and discharged William Algeo who was injured by a fall standing out to sea with all sail set tack ship once an hour So ends the day

Friday Dec 19th

Wet & foggy weather Course S.S.W. Tacked Ship 5 o clock P.M. and 7 1/2 A.M. sailing under full topsails. So ends the day

Saturday Dec 20th

Fair wind blowing fresh course S.S.W. carrying all sail until 7 A.M. took in the fly Sib had some rain squalls. So ends the day

Sunday Dec 21st

The wind continues fair course S.S.W. Raised a fin back about 6 A.M. on our weather quarter saw a vessel about 10 miles off on our weather quarter Saw another fin back about 10 A.M. The man at the mast head raised a sail about 1/2 past 2 P.M. on our weather bow 12 miles off land at 1/2 past 3 P.M. saw a school of black fish and 2 fin backs So ends

Monday Dec 22d

Pleasant weather steering by the wind sent up the Mde gallant yard about

Barque Sea Queen at Sea 1851

Sunday 22d 5½ this morning raised a sail from aloft about 6 this morning on our larboard quarter so ends

Tuesday 23rd Pleasant weather the wind continues fair course SSW the man at the masthead sing out there she blows 3 or 4 times but the whale was not to be seen after that

Wednesday 24th Pleasant weather steering by the wind course SSW all hands engaged in setting up rigging raised a fin back about 5 P.M. sent up the fore deg allant yard this moring wore ship at 10 o'clock A.M.

Thursday 25th The weather continues pleasant steering by the wind all hands engaged in breaking out the hold

Friday 26th Pleasant weather light wind from the eastward course SSW saw a sail about 9 A.M. on our weather quarter about 12 miles off all hands engaged setting up rigging Ends the day

Saturday 27th Pleasant Weather wind from the eastward steering our course SSW we are now in the trade winds all hands engaged in setting up & tarring the rigging &c

Barque Sea Queen at Sea 1851

Sunday Dec 28th December 7.

Pleasant weather steering our course S.S.W. saw 3 or 4 finbacks in the morning and 1 in the P.M.

Monday 29th 10 ends

Pleasant weather steering S.S.W. all hands engaged in breaking out hold raised a sail this morning about 7 o'clock coming straight for us come up with her at 10 A.M. lowered the starboard boat the captain went and brought off 1 bushel of peanuts and some bananas said she was the brig Corsair of Marseilles bound to Marseilles saw plenty of finbacks

Corsair

Tuesday 30th all day 10 ends

Pleasant weather steering S.S.W. nothing in sight but some finbacks all hands engaged in setting up Rigging. so on

Wednesday 31st Pleasant weather steering our course S. nothing in sight all hands engaged setting up rigging. all hands like the ship pretty well we are in warm weather and are going into a warmer climate every day had mackerel for breakfast this morning made us all think of home and we had dried beef was very tough for dinner and salt pork for supper. We all like the officers first rate so far and we hope we shall like them better as we are going on our voyage. to close up the old year I think I shall turn in and take a nap and when 8 o'clock I expect to see the new year all ready to go to work. here's good luck to the

Barque Sea Queen at sea 1852

Thursday January 1st 1852

Pleasant weather, steering our course South by east all hands employed setting up rigging, rais'd sail at 3 PM in our lee bow raised a school of porpises about 4 o'clock got fast to one put the iron drew they came around the ship half an hour afterwards got fast to one struck him aboard and dressed him 2 yards

Friday 2nd

Pleasant weather steered our course until 1 PM saw land to the eastward our position at noon sail at 4 PM came up with at 12 PM the Barque Stuppard of Bedford going to sea steered around the Cape de Verd Islands and steering to the West Indies Captain went on board and steered until 4 PM when he lowered the Master boat and brought him aboard made all sail and put out to sea again

Saturday 3th

Pleasant weather steering our course SSW saw a school of porpises Finished setting up the rigging

Sunday 4th Pleasant weather steering our Course SSW all hands employed in doing nothing so ends

Monday 5th

Pleasant weather SW by W Course saw a sail at 5 PM on our lee quarter so ends the day

Tuesday 6th

Bargue Sea Diary 1852

Tuesday 6th / Pleasant

Pleasant weather steering from SSW employed in rattling down the main rigging saw a sail at 10 A.M. on our weather beam and saw one at 4 P.M. on our lee quarter

Wednesday 7th

Pleasant weather employed in rattling down the fore rigging steering on course S by W

Thursday 8th

Pleasant weather until 11 A.M. Commenced raining employed rattling down the main top mast rigging and cabin all hands jumped overboard and had a swim the rest of the day

Friday 9th

Raining weather until 12 M. when it cleared away calm steering S by E finished rattling down the main top mast rigging lowered down the boats 5 P.M. exercised about half an hour came aboard all hands jumped overboard and had a swim so ends the day

Saturday 10th

Pleasant weather light winds steering from S by W employed painting the main deck inside the ship

Good Friday

Sunday 11th

Calm weather. Course S by W at 4 P.M. all hands jumped into the ocean and had a swim had some rain in the night

Barque Sea Queen 1852

Monday 12th January

Pleasant weather Calm until 1 PM steering S.E. all hands employed breaking out the hole became

Tuesday 13th

S Rainy weather and light wind until 5 PM when it commenced raining and raining hard took in the fly sails and de gallen sails housed the M de gallen sails and fly sails at 7 PM and the fore de gallen sail at 11 A.M. Strong breezes

Wednesday 14th

Pleasant weather and light wind steering our course S saised a school of black fish at 7 A.M. lowered the boats Mr. Snow got fast put 1 lance into him and killed him took him aboard and cut him up in the A.M. Employed getting the iron work on the ship

1 black fish 1½ bbls

Thursday 15th

Light wind Employed again cut the black fish steering by the wind

Friday 16th

Pleasant weather and large steering by the wind All hands employed breaking the hole

Saturday 17th

Pleasant weather Steering Course S.S.W. Employed painting & Turning down Saw a sail at ½ P.M. under reefed topsails

Atlantic Passage

Sunday 18th January

Pleasant weather Steering S S W
Engaged reading nothing in sight

Monday 19th

Pleasant weather steering S W by S
Employed Tarring & Painting

Tuesday 20th

Pleasant weather steering S S W
Employed Tarring down rigging

Wednesday 21st

Pleasant until 1 P M when it began to rain lasted about 4 hours
Steering S S W Employed furling Sc[illegible]tchman on the rigging

Thursday 22nd

Pleasant weather Steering S S W
Employed [illegible] Scotchman on the rigging tacked ship at 6 P M

Friday 23rd

Pleasant in the A M and part of the P M employed scraping the deck saw a sail at 5 P M bearing S S W

Saturday 24th

Rainy weather 4 sails in sight.
Steering S S W Employed in the A M scraping deck

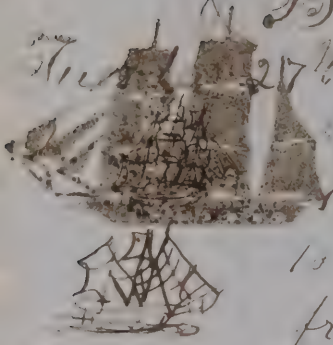
Sunday 25th

Rainy weather took in the [illegible] top sail Royal studd sail and fly jib at 2 o'clock at 5 [illegible] in the royal studd sail [illegible] sail and fly jib at 9 [illegible] hoisted the [illegible] at 4 P M steering S S

Monday 26th

Cloudy weather light winds steering S S W saw a sail at 6 o'c A M and at 11 A M [illegible]

Barque Sea Queen at Sea 1852



Tuesday 27th 1852 January

Pleasant weather Steering SSW saw a sail about 6 A.M. met her at 10 A.M. it barque Lenark of Boston from California bound home 14 days from Cape horn 65 days from San Francisco the captain went aboard and got some old junk to make scrubs loaded with Boxes and casks he had 1 sick lady aboard setting up

Barque Lenark Boston sent 2 letters

Wednesday 28th "

Rainy weather until 5 P.M. employed making scrub brooms saw a sail at 3 P.M. just astern of the brig went in swimming Steering S by W

Thursday 29th "

Pleasant weather with light airs steering S W by W spoke the ship Congress of New Bedford bound whaling Lowered the starboard boat the boats crew and captain went aboard the Congress and Paid

ship Congress New Bedford

a visit aboard the sea queen sail until 5 P.M. began to blow rather fresh furled the fly jib set topsail and the gallant sail at 11 P.M. blowing hard

Friday 30th "

Cloudy weather blowing heavy steering S by W furled the main gallantsail at 3 A.M. at 7 A.M. Reefed the fore topsail at 11 A.M. furled the main topsail and carryed away our fly jib boom hauled back the mizen yard spoke the Congress all hands employed clearing away the wreck saw a sail at 4 P.M.

Atlantic Passage

January

Saturday 31st Pleasant weather with heavy winds set all sail at 2 P M furled fore regallantsail at 8 P M sent the fore topmast staysail Steering S S W ship Congress in sight

February

Sunday February 1st 1852

Pleasant weather Saw ship Congress

Monday 2nd Pleasant weather steering S W by W saw 3 sails in sight Capt Smith went aboard the Congress and the mate came aboard of the Queen while we was aboard the Congress the Julian of New Bedford came down and spoke us ale so ships changed boats crews and got their mail all went aboard their own ships and set sail towards each other

Tuesday 3rd Pleasant weather Steering S S W 2 sails in sight Employed Trying sails

Wednesday 4th Pleasant weather until 10 P M when it began to breeze took in fore regallantsail at 11 P M took in the main regallantsail

Thursday 5th Squally weather blowing heavy between 1 and 3 took in the spanker furled the main sail and jib took a double reef in the fore and main topsail set the main spencer

Barque Sea Queen 1852

Friday 6th February

Pleasant Weather and light winds steering SSW. broke out for fresh water & water to end

Saturday 7th "

Pleasant weather and light winds steering SSW saw a sail ahead to ends

Sunday 8th "

Pleasant weather and light winds steering S by W the ship Julia in sight all day to ends

Monday the 9th "

Steering Breezes from the Northward heading SSW by W saw some porpoises North in the night boat and but it on the dry work saw a sail of our lee beam.

Tuesday 10th "

Pleasant weather steering S by W look in the fore de gallens & set

Wednesday 11th "

Fresh gales from the westward steering S W by S nothing in sight

Thursday 12th "

fresh gales from the westward at daylight shook 1 reef out the main topsail and set the fore top sail shook reef out fore sail

Friday 13th "

Raing weather blowing heavy steering by the wind at 4 P.M. had all sail in but a close reefed main top sail and fore sail saw a sail of our lee beam

Atlantic Passage

Saturday 14th February

Cloudy weather 1st 12 hours steering [illegible] 1 PM all sail set employed in the A.M. Lashing spars &c ends

Sunday 15th

Cloudy weather steering S.S.W. all sail set saw 2 or 3 schools of porpoise got fast to 1 and the iron drew &c ends

Monday 16th

Pleasant weather steering South the first 12 hours the last 8 hours steering by the wind tacked ship, at 12 PM the night ends

Tuesday 17th

Cloudy weather steering by the wind saw a sail about 4 miles of bound the same way we are at 11 AM took in the Main & mizen sail set 2 PM took a single reef in the top sails at 5 PM tacked ship heading west & W saw the Falmouth Hands

Wednesday 18th

2 bells Cloudy weather steering S at 7 the [illegible] the coast of Portugal bound [illegible] took aboard a Spanish boy from [illegible] at 4 PM took in the M.S.G.B. shook reefed the topsails at 8 PM hoisted the jib &c ends

Thursday 19th

Blowing heavy at 2 took a double reef in the fore topsail at 4 PM unbent the main-sail sow some oakum this morning steering S by W &c ends

Friday 20th

Cloudy weather and squally steering by the wind saw land 1/2 P 7 A.M. on our lee bow Start tacked ship at 5 PM the

Barque Sea Queen

Saturday Feb 21st 1852 Steering S

Cloudy weather steering by the wind light winds calm most of the time saw a sail about 7 P.M. Lost sight of her

Sunday 22nd " Steering W.S.W.

Cloudy with light wind calm most of the day saw a sail at noon saw a at 5 P.M. ahead

Monday 23rd "

Steering by the wind blowing heavy steering by the wind 2 sails in sight at 10 A.M. all sail but the main t'gallant

Tuesday 24th "

Cloudy weather steering W.S.W. saw cape Horn in the morning at 10 A.M. the Diego sail in sight ahead Wednesday 25th " Pacific Passage

blowing, breezes in the morning took a reef in the topsails set all sail in the P.M. saw some porpoises

Thursday 26th "

Blowing heavy all sail in, but the main t'gallant sail and fore sail in the P.M. set the main sail and fore t'gallant sail and Rambler squally had some hail squalls & sail in sight

Friday 27th "

Cloudy weather strong breezes steering by the wind Packet ship Turiel saw some porpoises sail in sight and a water spout

Saturday 28th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind last saw ship to the southward at 2 A.M. 3 P.M. lat 46 to the westward saw a sail in the morning

Pacific Passage

Sunday 29th "

Pleasant weather steering [illegible] saw some porpoises

Monday March 1st 1852

Pleasant weather steering N W saw porpoises 5 or 6 times 2 sails in sight at 4 P M had hail squalls [illegible] the Spanker & gallantsail reefed the mainsail

Tuesday 2nd "

Pleasant weather steering N & W saw in sight saw some porpoises broke out for water & sail set

Wednesday 3rd "

Pleasant weather [illegible] and at 6 P M reefed topsails and mainsail at 9 P M tacked ship steering for land saw sail in sight

Thursday 4th "

Cloudy weather and strong breeze tacked ship at 6 A M furled the fore topsail reefed the foresail once set the spencer [illegible]

Friday 5th "

Cloudy weather blowing heavy steering N W by W saw sail in sight at night reefed the mainsail and furled the jib [illegible]

Saturday 6th "

Cloudy weather heavy squalls steering N W saw porpoises caught a gray haired bird the line broke out for water [illegible] and mackerels

Sunday 7th "

Pleasant [illegible] steering N by E most of the crew reading the bible [illegible]

Barque Sea Queen Coast of Chili

Monday 8th " 18[illegible] March

Rainy weather steering S by E and up the fore & gallant yard in the morning at 11 A.M. took in the de gallant sails and reefed the top sails and main sail fitted for a gale

Tuesday 9th "

Pleasant weather steering S by E all sail set saw a school of porpises and black fish at 5 P.M. caught seven gonys and killed two

Wednesday 10th "

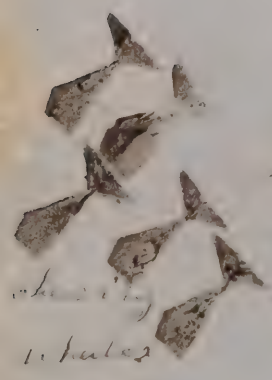
Pleasant weather steering S E by E saw the land at 5 P.M. ran down to it was about 4 miles off at 9 P.M. endeavoured to go into port of Waldivia came up to it and not knowing exactly where the opening that led into the bay was we hauled off shore and put out to sea again for the night

Thursday 11th "

Pleasant weather steering W S W saw the Islands of Juchas in the morning saw Mamplaiets

Friday 12th "

Pleasant weather employed setting up the rigging when we was fixing the main yard there was a sperm whale spouting about half a mile off going to the windward we lowered away two boats to be ready for them when they came up but they did not come up nearer than 3 miles of the ship. made sail & followed them about 4 miles & then employed mending boats



Coast of Chili 1832

Saturday March 13th 1832

Pleasant weather steering close to the wind cruising for whales & sails in sight raised whales to the leeward did not lower the boats broke out for blubber saw porpoise and black

Sunday 14th "

Cloudy weather steering our course again saw 3 sails in sight

Monday 15th "

Pleasant weather steering N by W 1 sail in sight sent up the fore royal yard and commenced to scrape a ship bottom

Tuesday 16th "

Pleasant weather steering N by W all hands employed painting the main works on the ship raised the island of Juan Fernandes at about 4 past 4 P.M. running for it

[redacted] come up middly with it hands employed as yesterday no at night

Wednesday 17th "

Pleasant weather steering [redacted] raised land about 1/2 past 5 A.M. ran down [redacted] it to the leeward sent boats [redacted] lowered the boats at 1/2 past 1 P.M. fished on it 4 P.M. and the starter of steering N by W with all sail set that would draw

Thursday 18th "

Pleasant weather steering W by N nothing in sight began to stand boats crews watches

Friday 19th "

Pleasant weather steering N by W all sail set

[redacted] much of anything

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March

Saturday 20th Pleasant weather steering N by W broke out for water

Sunday 21st Pleasant weather steering N engaged Reading

Monday 22nd Pleasant weather steering N by E employed putting out the Jolly boat & fitting down sweeps

Tuesday 23rd Pleasant weather steering N by E employed fitting down rigging saw black fish sword fish

Wednesday 24th Pleasant weather steering N by E employed fitting down rigging hoisted boat aboard & P.M. weighed & stood off S.S.W.

Thursday 25th Pleasant weather steering S by W saw a sail employed painting, the boats finished fitting down the rigging, saw sharks

Friday 26th Pleasant weather steering S.S.W. employed painting aloft saw a shoal of porpoises with about [illegible] Flogged a man

Saturday 27th Pleasant weather steering N by W Employed painting broke out for flour and bread at 4 P.M. saw a Barque steering to the eastward hove ship steering to the eastward

Sunday 28th Pleasant weather steering S.W. by W saw Rio Grande [illegible]

Coast of Peru March 29th 1852

Monday 29th Mar. to

Pleasant weather light winds saw a school of sperm whales at 1/2 past 8 A.M. lowered the 3 boats Mr Snow got fast and his Coffin and then Mr Smith Sansbury put 2 irons into his whale and Burdick into his Mr Coffins line got foul cut and Mr Snows and the line parted Mr Snow killed his with one lance after Mr Coffin lost his whale went up to Mr Smith and went up to his whale and Sansbury put an iron and a lance and killed him the whale stove the waste boat took the 2 whale along side and commenced cutting in got 1 in cut Burdick caught a Dolphin measured 6 feet

Tuesday 30th

Pleasant weather employed cutting in and trying out whale cut

Wednesday 31st

Pleasant weather steering by the wind employed trying out oil so ends

Thursday April 1st 1852

Pleasant weather finished trying out oil at 12 AM ship steering southward Killed 2 Pigs on the P.M. so ends this 24 hours

Friday 2nd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind broke out for water so ends this 24 hours

Saturday 3rd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind broke out for bread so ends

Sunday 4th

Lat at 12 M 01

Pleasant weather steering by the wind sighting in sight so ends

Monday 5th

Lat 11° 15

Pleasant weather steering by the wind

Barque Sea Queen

Tuesday 6th Lat 11°29 April
Pleasant weather steering W N W
nothing in sight Saw birds this day
Wednesday 7th no latitude
Pleasant weather steering SW SW W
saw large school of porpoises
Thursday 8th 8°26
Pleasant weather steering ENE
and NNW employed strapping blocks
Friday 9th Lat 6°39
Pleasant weather steering N by W employed
straping blocks raised the Islands of
St Lopez about 9 A M of our weather
bow saw black fish and fin backs
Saturday 10th
Pleasant weather steering N W by W
in sight of the coast passed the
Bay of Pa saw fin back and Seals
Sunday 11th
Pleasant weather in sight of
Bay of Pa [illegible] got into Bay of Pa
sent letters at 11 A M left letters and got some
letters left at 4 P M for Bombay
Monday 12th
Pleasant weather steering E by N
fin backs and blue back fish in sight

Tuesday 13th
Pleasant weather steering for Bombay
saw steam ship fin back [illegible]
Bombay at 4 P M [illegible]
Wednesday 14th
Pleasant weather employed heaving
in port
Thursday 15th
Pleasant weather employed

Coast of Peru

Friday April 16th in Port Coulao

Pleasant weather employed Scraping out Old Flour rice Sugar potatoes oranges and oysters Captain Lent 45 lbs of butter into the forecastle Lent mast above forward

Saturday 17th Rain

Rainy weather employed Stowing down Lent a raft ashore for water

Sunday 18th "

Pleasant weather Starboard watch ashore on liberty

Monday 19th "

Pleasant weather employed painting Sloop of war Juniata arrived at 2 P.M. at 4 P.M. Ship Congress anchored 4 vessels

Tuesday 20th

Pleasant weather employed painting sent the Larboard ashore on liberty Starboard watch lost 3 men the Sloop of war sailed for Kiel Ship Congress sailed for Callao 4 vessels

Wednesday 21st "

Pleasant weather employed getting potatoes on board 4 vessels

Thursday 22nd "

Pleasant weather employed painting Larboard watch came aboard drunk 1 of the men that the Larboard watch left

Friday 23rd "

Cloudy weather employed getting in potatoes 5 vessels 24 hours

Saturday 24th "

Pleasant weather got underway at 3 P.M. sailed for the Fiji Seas

Sunday 25th "

Pleasant weather steering S. the mid land in sight wore ship at 6 A.M.

Barque Sea Queen of
April

Monday 26th Pleasant weather laying off and on Captain aboard the Clifford employed doing nothing

Tuesday 27th Pleasant weather came in at 8 AM 11 AM the Ship Edward Carey lay at anchor saw a man of war of our lee bow Ship Clifford Wayne got under weigh at 4 PM Captain went in to get the 2 men that runaway but the was not ready and we left them to come down

Wednesday 28th Pleasant weather employed Steering by the man of war in sight employed painting

Thursday 29th Cloudy weather blowing fresh Steering the wind nothing in sight

Friday 30th Pleasant weather steering got up with the Ship Dangerfield of New Bedford 400 miles 11 months out

Saturday May 1st 1852 Pleasant weather steering spoke the Steering up Belfast and Liverpool

Sunday 2nd Pleasant weather steering nothing in sight

Monday 3rd Pleasant weather steering Jeremiah in sight

Tuesday 4th Pleasant weather steering spoke the Lexington

Coast of Siberia

Wednesday May 5th 1852

Pleasant weather steering S by W
nothing in sight saw one this 24 hours

Thursday 6th

Pleasant weather steering S by W
saw backs in sight

Friday 7th Killed 2 pigs

Pleasant weather steering N & W
raised a school of Spermaceties about
5 PM on lee bow lowered the boats
did not get fast the whales went
to windward so end this day

Saturday 8th

Pleasant weather steering W S W
saw white water in the morning

Sunday 9th

Pleasant weather steering S by E
nothing in sight so ends this day

Monday 10th

Pleasant weather steering E S E
nothing in sight

Tuesday 11th

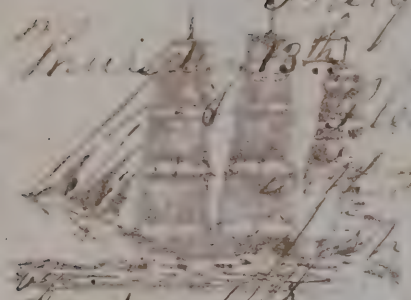
Pleasant weather steering W S W
on the S S the men at the mast
head sang out there white water
a number of times but we did not
get any thing raised the last sang out
at 5 PM on our lee quarter lowered the
two boats and struck three whales
but did not get any for we saw land in sight

Wednesday 12th

Rainy weather steering S W by S
sail in sight of us to the N E run down
to her and spoke her Ship Rescue of
Pentucket Hobbs & Chatham
in sight killed 2 pigs

Barque Sea Queen

May



Thursday 13th Pleasant weather steering S W gaining on the President Schooner in sight

Friday 14th " Pleasant weather steering SE the President in sight Ship in sight of our weather bow

Saturday 15th " Pleasant weather steering S W gaining with the President & Charles of New Bedford

Sunday 16th Pleasant weather steering S W nothing in sight so ends the day

Monday 17th " Pleasant weather steering W by S sighted in sight Chatham Island

Tuesday 18th Cloudy weather rain squalls steering by heading W by N

Wednesday 19th Sails in raised a sail at 2 o clock with her boats down run down towards her saw whales coming to windward they went down and the captain run down just then we saw them coming up they was to the weather of us we lowered the boats but the whales went off we did not get any so ends this day

Thursday 20th Pleasant weather wore ship at 8 AM steering SW sent the Sails aloft

Cruising around the Gallapagos

May

Friday 21st Pleasant weather blowing fresh steering W & W. current the 1st and 2nd fore sail just 2 Reefs in it and bent it again at 5 PM saw a school of black fish

Saturday 22nd Pleasant weather steering by the wind gammed with the President saw a school of black fish

Sunday 23rd Pleasant weather steering S W by S gammed with the President

Monday 24th Pleasant weather steering S W by S President in sight Nathaniel Island in sight — and Birds Island

Tuesday 25th Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw Black fish and Porpoises

Wednesday 26th Pleasant weather steering by the wind nothing in sight broke out for bed

Thursday 27th Pleasant weather light winds steering S W by S saw the President at 2 PM run down to her and spoke her did not gam that night

Friday 28th Pleasant weather steering by the wind steering with the President saw a school of fish big from Jarvis to go Discovered Island

Saturday 29th Pleasant weather steering by the wind heading S by W nothing in sight —

Barque Sea Queen

June

Sunday 30th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind

Monday

Pleasant weather steering by the wind

Tuesday June 1st 1852

Pleasant weather steering by the wind

Wednesday 2nd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind

Thursday 3rd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind

Friday 4th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind

Saturday 5th

Pleasant weather with a calm

Steering of the Gallapagos Islands

Sunday 6th June

Pleasant weather most of the day steering S by W but not far off the land fish and for water Saw many

Monday 7th

Pleasant weather steering E by S Saw a Turtle and Whales and Saw a man overboard

Tuesday 8th

Pleasant weather steering E by N Saw a sail for the 1st Sail in sight with the Preserved Crew of the Surprise so ends

Wednesday 9th

Rainy weather steering to the East nothing in sight so ends the day

Thursday 10th

Rainy weather steering E N E nothing in sight so ends

Friday 11th

Cloudy weather steering to the East Saw a Tacker ship to the South and Westward nothing in sight

Saturday 12th

Pleasant weather steering N E by E Saw a boat out for Fish and Saw Fish so ends

Sunday 13th

Pleasant weather steering N E by E nothing in sight so ends the day

Monday 14th Lat Log set up the Gallantmasts

Cloudy weather steering to the eastward Saw a ship at 6 P.M. Steering S W. nothing in sight

Tuesday 15th

Pleasant weather steering to the East Saw the ship standing to the Port Tacks and Lost the light Saw a boat out fishing

Wednesday 16th
Pleasant weather steering
East and saw Harbinger Hood & Charles
in sight

Thursday 17th
Pleasant weather steering to Eastward.
saw Harbinger Hood & Charles Island in sight
Friday 18th
Pleasant weather steering to the Southward
& Eastward nothing in sight spoke
Ship at 5 P.M. saw
Saturday 19th
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
saw to the Leeward large school of Basking
fish in the Sea attacked Ships steering
by the wind &c
Sunday 20th
Pleasant weather steering SE
saw a Sulphur Bottom spouting
to the Leeward in the Sea
P.M. saw 2 breeches of the Whale
Monday 21st
Pleasant weather steering by
nothing in sight
Tuesday 22nd
Pleasant weather steering by
some of the Ships employed cutting
Wednesday 23rd
Pleasant weather steering SE &
nothing in sight
Thursday 24th
Pleasant weather steering SE by
saw nothing in sight

Pleasant weather steering SE by E saw a fin

Bound to Paita

Saturday 26th June

Pleasant weather Steering by the wind land in sight cont. to Peru during the

Sunday 27th "

Strong breeze Steering by the wind reefed the fore top sail in the night

Monday 28th " Benjamin A Freeman

Cloudy weather steering by the wind nothing in sight — so ends the day

Tuesday 29th "

Strong breze Steering by the wind land in sight Steered & came to Bay in 21 fathom — Hundreds of fin backs in sight

Wednesday 30th " Sent off the Boat on a Search for Canoes

Pleasant weather Steering in for the land in sight 1 Canoe with Captains wife was on board came from Peru by Pan ticket Captain aboard the

Thursday 1st July Benjamin A Freeman

Pleasant weather Steering WSW in company with the Peru Captain aboard the Peru

Peru

Pleasant weather Steering by the wind in company with the Peru raised whales off the coast about 10 A.M. went and killed a Sperm Whale cut in and got a small Whale & Sperm boat

Saturday 3rd " many birds of many kinds

Cloudy employed cutting up the whale to morrow we shall cut in up so as to get the 4th day of July

Sunday 4th "

Pleasant weather employed trying out Sperm finished at 6 PM made 18 bbls

Monday 5th "

Pleasant weather Steering by the wind Gamming with the Prescrent and the Peru

Tuesday 6th

Pleasant weather, Steering by the wind [illegible] gamming with Peru [illegible] and Peru sent a cask of pork and the pens

Wednesday 7th "

Pleasant weather strong breeze tacked at 7 A M raised something breeching at 9 A M on our weather bow going to leward chased them about 6 hours and then squared in and run down to the Peru [illegible]

Peru

Thursday 8th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind gamming with the Peru [illegible]

Friday 9th "

Cloudy weather strong breezes heading E S E saw a large school of black fish

Saturday 10th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind

Black Fish

black fish in sight

Sunday 11th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw thousands of black fish lowered at 10 A M for Sport Sport got a small one

Monday 12th "

Pleasant steering by the wind all hands employed breaking out & stow oil and Cooper black fish in sight

Tuesday 13th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind all hands employed & boring down merchant Barque in sight of our lee

Wednesday 14th "

Pleasant weather [illegible] by the wind heading E [illegible] saw a school of black fish at 4 P M lowered the boats but could not get fast saw about a [illegible] employed [illegible] for the [illegible]

Cruising off the Coast of Peru

Thursday 15th " Daily

Pleasant weather steering by the wind black fish fin backs and porpoises in sight

Friday 16th "

Pleasant weather steering by the heading E b S sent down the fore rial yard & put it ckeck it considerable many fin backs in sight hazy in the weather low strong breezes from the Southward at 5 P.M. furled the main sail and reefed top sails

Saturday 17th " Bound to paita

Cloudy weather steering by the wind heading E wore ship at 5 P.M. S b E furled the main sail and reefed top sails

Sunday 18th "

Cloudy weather strong breezes steering S by E nothing in sight pumped a cask of water into the

Monday 19th " Lat 6° 22

Cloudy weather strong breezes steering E b S great many fin backs in sight

Tuesday 20th " steering E b S

Cloudy weather strong breezes reefed the top sails and furled the main sail

Wednesday 21st " Lat 6° 27

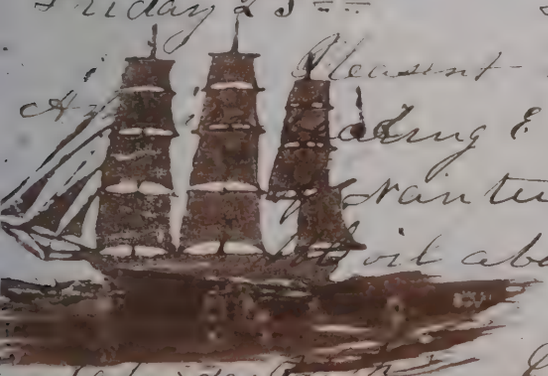
Cloudy weather steering E b S lowered the boats for black fish did not get any

Thursday 22nd " Lat 5° 42

Pleasant weather steering by the wind heading S W b W black fish in sight

Friday 23rd " Lat 5° 23

Pleasant weather steering by the wind heading E b S gamed with the American ranter ket Bound to Callao got a bit aboard 2 years out sail Boston



Saturday 24th " Lat 5° 33

Pleasant weather bearing S W ½ W

Ticked ship in the morning heading E b S black fish and porpoises in sight

Barque Sea Queen at Sea July 25th 1855

Sunday 25th July

Cloudy weather steering E b S sail in sight of our weather beam and a few hundreds of humpbacks in sight raised Payta head at 4 A M run in and left the Captain ashore stood out to sea to cruise 2 days and then go in and get the Captains wife

Monday 26th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind 2 or 4 sails in sight land in sight

Tuesday 27th

Pleasant weather steering E S E the wind employed breaking out for bread & water black fish in sight squared the yards at 1/2 P M and run for Payta head bringing

Wednesday 28th

Pleasent calm in the morning sent a boat ashore the rest of us employed scraping decks of the Barque about a steamer from Guyaquil went in we run up into the harbor and waited for the mail steamer to arrive at 12 N & the arrived with the Captains wife and child aboard they came aboard the Barque at 5 P M and we put to sea

sent letter

Thursday 29th

Pleasant weather steering N W b W saw a sail of our weather bow 5 or 6 miles

Friday 30th

Pleasant weather steering N W saw some black fish gammed with the Ocean Bedford 2.500 Bbls Spermacil to cruise 4 months and then home

Saturday 31st Lat 2° 22 Long

Cloudy steering N W black fish in sight sail of our weather beam

Cruising off the Galapagos

Sunday August 1st 1852 Lat 2°12 Lon 88°16
Pleasant weather steering W by S
saw School of [redacted] and some dolphin

Monday 2d "
Lat 1°50
Pleasant weather steering W saw black fish in sight so ends this day

Tuesday 3th "
Pleasant weather steering W by S
nothing in sight

Wendensday 4th "
Pleasant weather steering W by S sighted Revids Island and the President of Nantucket in the morning at 9 A M raised whales breeching to the Starboard braced up and stood for them [redacted] the boats at ½ past 9 A M Mr Coffin got a large whale while we was off 100 Rds. the President's boat got fast to 1 whale and the captain got foul line and got his boat run under lost 1 man sung out for 1 of the others boats to pick him up and they both cut to a time and the whale went off with 9 irons 4 darts and 1 boat and 2 lances we lowered to him in the P M but he was going too fast plenty whales in sight all day

Mr Coffin 1 lance

Thursday 5th "
Pleasent weather employed cutting in the whale finished all but the case and began to try out so ends the day

Friday 6th "
Pleasent boiled the case employed trying out oil South Head in sight

Saturday 7th "
Pleasent weather steering E by S Charles Island in sight employed trying out

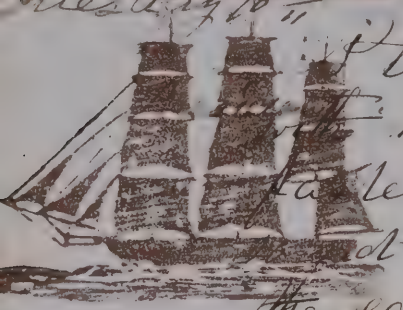
Barque Sea Queen

August

Sunday 8th Pleasant weather steering E b S finished trying out and washed of deck in the P.M. Charles Island in sight

Monday 9th Pleasant weather steering E b S Hood Island. Islands in sight. gammed the President of Nantucket

Lat 1° 38



Tuesday 10th Pleasant weather steering E b S gamming with the President nothing in sight Lowered the reef points on the topsail to shake the sail and hauled out the clewlines So ends the day

Wednesday 11th Strong breezes steering E b S Reefed the fore & main topsails in Hood & Chatham Island in sight so ends the day

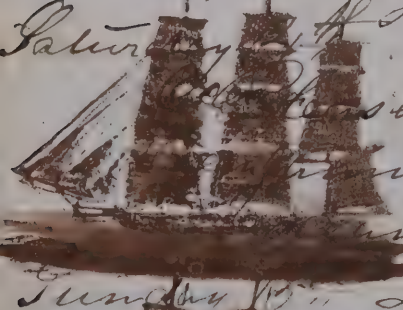
Thursday 12th Lat 1° 18

Strong breezes steering E b S saw sail this morning 2 points forward the lee beam

Friday 13th Lat 1° 14

Cloudy weather steering E b S Hood Island in sight saw a ship of the lee beam

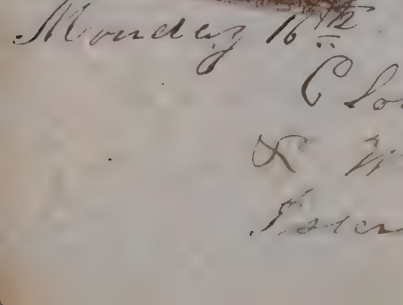
Saturday 14th Pleasant weather steering E b S gamming with the President and



Hood Island in sight

Sunday 15th Lat 1° 41

Pleasant weather steering E b S gamming with the President of Nantucket the ship New Bedford William Rotch Fair Haven ends the day



Monday 16th Lat

Cloudy weather steering E b S saw sail & William in sight Stood

Steered

Cruising off the Galapagos

Tuesday 17th " Lat 1°40 " August

Monday & Sprinkle steering E by S the
President & William Rotch in sight
Hoods Island of our bee beam

Wednesday 18th " Lat 1° 29 Long

Pleasent weather steering E by S nothing
in sight so ends this day

Thursday 19th " Lat 55

Pleasent weather steering E & S
Employed coopering the oil

Friday 20th " Lat 37

Pleasent weather steering E by S
Employed stowing down oil so ends

Saturday 21st "

Pleasent weather steering E by S
Employed stowing down and clearing
the Barque so ends the day

Sunday 22 and " Lat 36

Pleasent weather steering W by N backed
ship in the morning nothing in sight

Monday 23d " Hood Island in sight

Pleasent weather steering E by S & W
Employed making Tackle Falls

Tuesday 24th

Pleasent weather steering for Hoods
Island in company with the brig Esplend
do Capt Hoy of Ballio

Wednesday 25th "

Pleasent weather anchored Hoods
at 4 PM furled the sails and turned

Thursday 26th "

Strong breeze three boats in company
with the brig boats started after turpin
pulled about 16 miles then landed
got 4 live turpin the day

Fryday 27th "

Pleasent weather employed turpining
got 12 turpin the day

Barque Sea Lion at anchor

Saturday 28th August

Pleasent weather all these boats started for the Barque arrived at 12 M eat our dinner and went ashore close to the bay went back in to the mountains about 7 miles and got 15 turpin this day

Sunday 29th "

Pleasent weather all hands employed backing turpin backed down 31 this day

Monday 30th "

Pleasent weather employed baking turpin the hands aboard employed painting ship backed 18 turpin this day

Tuesday 31st "

Pleasent weather sailed down to the leward about 8 miles and back 12 turpin

Wednesday Sept 1st " 1852 at anchor

Pleasent weather employed backing turpin backed 16 turpin this day

Thursday 2 nd "

Pleasent weather employed backing turpin back down 19 turpin to day

Friday 3 rd "

Pleasent employed cleaning up and cleaning the ship getting clams of the bottom and getting ready to weigh anchor got thorough at 12 M let the boys have the boats and and go where they had a mind to close the day

Saturday 4th "

Pleasent weather washed the boats in the morning and deck weighed anchor at 11 A M and went to Sea with 116 turpin aboard in company with the brig steering E by S 2 C ends the turpinning plenty of fresh meat all hands sick

Cruising off the Gallapagoes

Sunday 5th September S. S.

Cloudy weather & strong breezes steering S W & W the Isle in sight of our lee quarter so ends this day

Monday 6th "

Pleasant weather & strong breezes steering E & S on the starboard tack & S W on the larboard

Tuesday 7th "

Strong breezes steering by the wind heading E & N brig & a ship to windward of us in sight so ends

Wedensday 8th "

Pleasant weather steering S W & S

2 whales made us raised whales at 7 A.M. on our lee beam & 5½ Hrs lowered and pulled about an hour and then came aboard tacked ship twice to get to windward lowered again at 10 A.M. Snow & Mr Coffin got a couple of whales Took them alongside and got ready to cut in

Mr Coffin

Thursday 9th "

Pleasant weather employed cutting in and stowing them in before dinner commenced trying out after dinner so ends this day

Friday 10th "

Raining weather employed trying out all hands greasy enough so ends the day

Saturday 11th "

Pleasant weather finished trying out at 8 A.M. cleaned up and washed decks sail in sight of our lee quarter so ends

Sunday 12th "

Cloudy weather heading E & S nothing in sight so ends this days

Monday 13th "

Cloudy weather steering by the wind nothing in sight so ends this day

Tuesday 14th "

Pleasant weathering steering by the wind [illegible] Island in sight so ends

Barque Sea Queen 1862

Wednesday 15th September

Roads

Pleasent weather steering S & W Roads Island & Chatham in sight as we

Chatham

Thursday 16th Lat 1.24

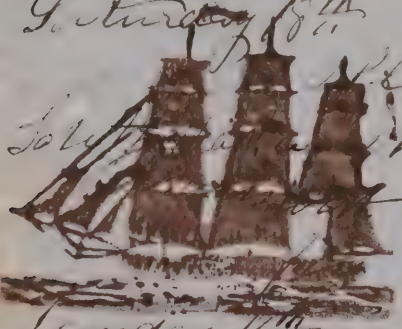
Pleasent weather steering N N W in the A M & N in the P M steering W making in the nig[ht]

Charles Brattles Pines South Head &c and Gardeners Rock in sight and a number of other small Islands as we

Friday 17th

Cloudy weather steering N saw a fin back this morning all the same Islands in sight as we

Saturday 18th



Pleasent weather steering N passed a ship and a brig at 8 A M gamed the ship Mariner of Nantucket backs in sight and the Islands

Sunday 19th

Pleasent weather in company with the ship and brig Splendida S Pollio South Head Albermarle and plenty of fin backs in sight to day so ends the

Monday 20th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind gamming with the Mariner of Nantucket off Anarbor brig in sight as we

Tuesday 21st

Pleasent weather cruising off South head Mariner & the brig fin back &c in sight

Wednesday 22nd

Pleasent weather cruising off Anarbor brig & ship in sight

Thursday 23rd Lat 38 South

Pleasent weather cruising off South head brig & ship in sight fin back and porpoises in sight

Cruising of the Galapagos

Friday 24th Splendid

Cloudy weather cruising off Anarbora
Trimer and brig Splendid in sight
a breach of the lee quarter run of 2 hours
did not see nothing more so end the day

Saturday 25th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
the brig and ship in sight so ends

Sunday 26th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
brig & ship in sight so ends the day

Monday 27th "

Pleasant weather employed as before
employed getting up chain to anchor
so end the day

Tuesday 28th "

Pleasant light wind brig ship and Barque
going into the bay anchored at 5 PM

Wednesday 29th "

Employed breaking out oil
sent part aboard the mariner

Thursday 30th "

Pleasant weather employed coopering
and sending oil aboard the mariner

Friday October 1st "

Pleasant weather employed ashore cutting
wood and coopering beef & pork
the courier of New Bedford anchored
this day at 5 PM the captain had
his wife aboard so the women had a gam

Saturday October 2nds "

Employed cutting wood so ends the day

Sunday 2nd " 3rd "

All hands went ashore sealing
and hunting birds caught 2 seals
2 shags 1 crow 1 penguin and some
aboard the Splendid

Burgne Sea Queen

October

Monday 4th
Employed boating off wood and stowing it down painting iron work aloft
1 boats crew cutting wood

Tuesday 5th
Blowing strong Employed in the A.M. doing nothing but gamming in the P.M. boating off wood so end the day

Wednesday 6th
Good weather Finished getting off wood at 8 A.M. got underweigh at 10 A.M. went out in company with the brig Esplendido Captain Hazel called the mariner got underweigh at 7 A.M.

Thursday 7th
steering by the wind
Strong breezes with pleasant weather
sail in sight of our lee quarter

Friday 8th
Pleasent weather steering N.W. & W. sounds Rodondo Rock in sight

Saturday 9th
Pleasent weather steering E.N.E. Abbington Island in sight

Sunday 10th
Cloudy weather steering N.E. & E.
nothing in sight

Monday 11th
Pleasent weather steering N.E. & E.
nothing in sight

Tuesday 12th
Pleasent weather anchored at 2 P.M. in Cocos Island sent 26 Casks ashore for water Employed breaking out hold

Wednesday 13th
Company with the Crew
Pleasent weather Employed raising water and stone

Bound into Port

Thursday 14th October

At anchor employed rafting stone and water
taking in the A D

Friday 15th

employ rafting stone and water so ends d

Saturday 16th

Finished rafting water all hands went
ashore and had a wash weighed anchor
at 5 P.M. in company with the Courier
and left Coos Island Steering E S E
with a strong breeze so ends the day —

Sunday 17th

Pleasant weather on the Starboard tack
steering by the wind Courier in sight
off our weather quarter so end the day

Monday 18th Lat S.° 09

Cloudy weather steering by the wind
Courier in sight off our weather quarter

Tuesday 19th

Strong breezes steering by the wind
Courier in sight [illegible] weather so ends

Wednesday 20th

Pleasant weather steering by wind
Courier in sight to windward

Thursday 21st

Good weather steering by the
wind Courier in sight so ends

Friday 22nd

Pleasant weather Courier and a small
schooner in sight South America in sight

Saturday 23rd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
stood in by the Isle of Platte calculating
to go into Payanga to paint but
it was not a fit place stood out
for Sunday's [illegible] so ends the day

Barque Sea Queen Westport

Sunday 24th
Pleasent weather steering for Tumbes
Courier in sight Head mans for landing

Monday 25
Pleasent weather Anchored at 7 PM
Barque Xantheon Ship Leonidas Bedford
and Mariner of Xantucket

Tuesday 26th
Employed painting Ship ends the day

Wednesday 27th
Employed painting Ship and
boating of wood so ends the days

Thursday 28th
Starboard watch ashore on Liberty
took aboard 25 bbls of potatoes

Friday 29th
Starboard watch ashore
Employed painting so ends

Saturday 30th
Larboard watch ashore on liberty
employed doing nothing

Sunday 31st
Pleasent weather so ends the day

Monday November 1st 1862
Pleasent weather Employed doing nothing

Tuesday 2nd
Pleasent weather Watch came aboard

Wednesday 3th
Pleasent weather took aboard 7 bbls
of oysters and 12 bbls of potatoes

Thursday 4th Boarded a ship
Pleasent weather got underweigh
at 2 PM Started for paita

Friday 5th
Strong breezes steering by the wind
at 6 PM sighted Topsails big in sight

Saturday 6th
Strong breezes steering by the wind
so ends the day

Bound to Gallapagos Islands

Sunday 17th November

sent / Pleasant weather steering by the wind
letter 2 sails in sight

Monday 18th

Pleasant weather arrived in Payta harbor took aboard 12 Bbls of onions, spoke with the Columbus of Nantucket laying off and on at night lowered the boat

Tuesday 19th "

Pleasant weather run into the harbor took aboard 15 Bbls of onions aboad and started for the Gallagagos to look for Sperm whales

Wedensday 20th "

Pleasant weather steering N.W. saw nothing in sight so end the day

Thursday 21st "

25 Bbls

Mr Coffin

Pleasant weather raised a school of whales at 7 A.M. lowered the boats pulled all day and Mr Coffin got a 25 bbl whale took him alongside and turn in to sleep till morning so ends

Friday 22

Pleasant weather Employed cutting in and trying out so end the day

Saturday 23d "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw a school of whales at 1 P.M. chased them till night pulled 30 miles but could not get a chance so ends

Sunday 24th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw something looked like whales but it went down and we did not see it again so end the day

Monday 25th "

Pleasant weather Employed mending and painting boats

Burgue Sea Queen Westport

Tuesday 16th November

Pleasent weather employed painting boats steering N W ran off for a breach 4 hours but did not see anything more so ends

Wednesday 17th

Cloudy weather steering N W employed painting paddles oars craft belonging to the boats nothing in sight so ends

Thursday 18th

Cloudy weather steering N W employed putting more canvass into the main sail saw a school of black fish this morning

Friday 19th

Pleasent weather steering N W put into the main sail so ends the day

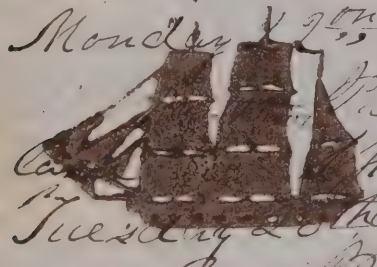
Saturday 20th

Pleasent weather steering W. Employed putting cloths into the fore sail so end the day but Before end

Sunday 21st

Pleasent weather steering by the wind Nattican & Woods Island in sight

Monday 22nd " " " "



Pleasent weather steering by the wind Choke the Bark Panthion of N Bedford

Tuesday 23rd

Pleasent weather steering by the wind Woods Island in sight so end the day

Wednesday 24th

Pleasent weather steering N E the wind jammed with the panthion N S

Thursday 25th

Raing weather steering to the eastward Woods in sight employed coopering Bread Panthion in sight so ends

Friday 26th Cloudy weather employed coopering bread

Cruising off the Gallapagos

Saturday 27th November

Pleasant weather steering to the eastward nothing in sight so ends the day

Sunday 28th

Pleasant weather steering to the eastward nothing in sight so end the day

Monday 29th

Monday 30th

Pleasant weather steering to the eastward nothing in sight so ends the day

Tuesday 1st December 30th 1852

Pleasant weather steering to the westward Employed making scrub brooms

Wednesday 2nd

Pleasant weather steering to the westward Employed making scrub brooms so ends the day

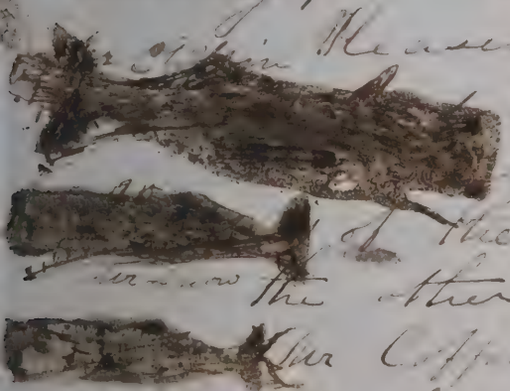
Thursday 2nd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind wind to the wind so ends the day

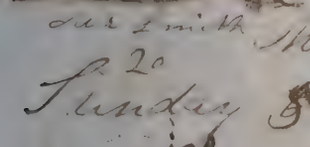
Friday 3rd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind nothing in sight so ends the day

Saturday 4th Lat 4° Long 85° W



Pleasant weather steering by the wind at 6 hours at 1 PM lowered the [illegible] three boats got fast took them alongside at 5 PM got the other one at 7 in the evening Mr Coffin got a large whale Mr Lowe & Mr Smith got a small one apiece



Sunday 5th

Pleasant weather spoke an English Barque from Liverpool bound to Panama we had 2 whales of which employed cutting in the 2 small whales boiling out at 6 PM so ends the day

Monday 6th

Pleasant Employed cutting in the large whale and trying out blubber since

Tuesday Dec 7th Barque Sea Queen 1852

Cloudy weather employed Boiling took his junk aboard and sailed this case this PM so ends the day

Wednesday 8th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind employed boiling out and setting up shooks so end the day

Thursday 9th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind finished Boiling at 2 this morning got all through and cleaned up at noon the three whales made us 140 bbls from the elder so end the day

Friday 10th

Pleasent weather sailing by wind nothing in sight so ends the day

Saturday 11th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind so ends the day

Sunday 12th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind so ends the day

Monday 13th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind all hands employed knocking out the fore hole

Tuesday 14th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind nothing in sight so ends the day

Wednesday 15th

Pleasent weather all hands employed [illegible] oil so ends the day

Thursday 16th

Spoke the ship anna of Hamburg cargo coal bound to panama

Pleasent weather steering by the wind employed coopering oil so ends the day

Friday 17th

Pleasent steering by the wind finished coopering oil [illegible]

Cruising off the Gallapagoes Island

Saturday 18th Lat 3°.52 S Deceases

Pleasent weather Steering N°W washed the ship inside and outside so ends

Sunday 19th Lat 3°.3 S

Pleasent weather steering N°W saw 2 or 3 school of porpises so ends this day

Monday 20th

Pleasent weather steering E by E employed doing nothing so ends the day

Tuesday 21st Lat 2°.3 S

Pleasent weather steering W by S tackled ship at 6 PM employed mending the Stantions so end this 24 hours

Wednesday 22nd

Pleasent weather steering by the wind nothing in sight

Thursday 23rd

Pleasent weather steering by the wind saw a small school of large whales chased until sund down but had to come aboard without them

Friday 24th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind

Mr Coffin raised a large school of small whales at ½ past 8 PM lowerd the Snow got 1 for Snow and Mr Coffin it being Christmas Eve we thought he would give us a ride run us to windward about 2 hours Mr Smith got fast but had to cut could not get up to him to lance

Saturday 25th

Pleasent weather employed cutting in and trying out so end the day

Sunday 26th

Pleasent weather employed trying out oil finished at 12 in the night

Monday 27th

Pleasent clear up and the water

Bark Sea Queen Dec 28th 1852

Tuesday 28th Lat 1°16 South December

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
mast whales at ½ past 10 AM covered
the boats ran from them Mr Coffin got fast
and killed them in 15 minutes took them
alongside cut in and commenced
trying out the small whale so ends the day

Wednesday 29th

Mr Snow Pleasant weather raised the small

whale at 6 this morning and commenced
Mr Coffin ½ cutting in the other whale got him

in and commenced trying him out

Thursday 30th Lat 1°30 South

Pleasant weather finished trying out
at noon cleaned up the decks
and are all ready for more whales

Friday 31st

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
nothing in sight so ends the day

Saturday January 1st 1853 Lat 1°35

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
Commenced this morning with
all hands on deck breaking out
the main hole so ends the day

Sunday 2nd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
so ends this 24 hours

Monday 3rd

Pleasant weather employed coopering
oil so ends the day

Tuesday 4th

Pleasant weather employed breaking
out so ends the day

Wednesday 5th

Pleasant weather employed stowing
down oil

Thursday 6th

Rain & calm finished stowing down & coming

cruising for Whales Lat 3°. 2°. &c.

Fryday Jan. 7th 1853 January

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
nothing in sight so ends the day

Saturday 8th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
nothing in sight so ends this day

Sunday 9th

Pleasent weather steering by the
wind so ends this twenty four hours

Monday 10th

Pleasent weather light breezes steering
by the wind so ends this day

Tuesday 11th Lat 2°.42

Light breezes and pleasent weather
steering by the wind so ends the day

Wedensday 12th

Calm employed scraping the
clams off the Bark bottom & P.M. caught
a bill fish took down the windlass
and repaired it a little so ends the day

Thursday 13th

Pleasent weather employed during nothing
but washing & patching steering by the wind

Friday 14th Lat 1°.52 South

Pleasent weather strong breezes steering
by the wind saw a sail this morning
astern going before it so ends

Saturday 15th

Strong breezes steering by the wind
the jib split in two took and put
a new cloth into so ends the day

Sunday 16th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
nothing in sight so ends the day

Monday 17th

Pleasent weather steering N.W.
took the fly jib in and put 4 beads
across it so ends the 24 hours mo

Bark Sea Queen January 18th 1852

Tuesday 18th Lat 2° 50 South

Strong breezes steering S W nothing in sight at 6 P M braced up heading to westward with the main yard aback

Wedensday 19th

Pleasent weather steering S W nothing in sight so end the day

Thursday 20th

Pleasent weather steering S W nothing in sight so ends this 24 hours

Friday, 21st

Pleasent weather steering W nothing in sight so ends the day

Saturday 22nd

Pleasent weather steering by the wind spoke the American brig Callio 1 had 2 small whales and deck 2 ships in sight of her bow standing to the eastward so ends the day

Sunday 23rd Lat 1° 47

Pleasent weather steering S E by S St Hoods Island in sight so ends the day

Monday 24th Lat 1° 51

Pleasent weather steering S by W Charles & Hoods Island Bargue in sight to leeward saw a whales carcas so ends the day

Tuesday 25th

Pleasent weather steering S E by E eastward employed gamming with Philipe Delanoye of the Barnstable of New Bedford Charles Island in sight so ends the day

Wedensday 26th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind heading to eastward so ends the day

Thursday Wedensday 27th

Pleasent steering to eastward sighted Charles & Hood Islands so ends the day

Cruising for Sperm Whales Jan 1st 1853

Thursday 29th Lat 1° 35' South February

Friday

Pleasent weathe steering E by E Hoods island in sight saw four or five schools of porpoises so ends

Friday 30th

Saturday Pleasent weather steering to eastward Hoods Island

Sunday 31st Pleasent weather steering to eastward employed

gamming with the Mariner Nantucket

Monday Pleasent weather steering by the wind

gamming with the Mariner Nantucket

Tuesday Pleasent weather steering

gamming with the Mariner

Wednesday February 1st 1853 Lat

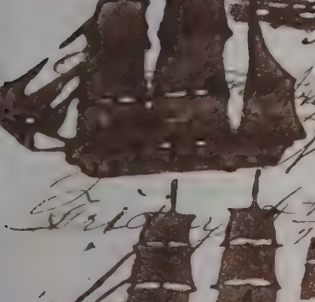
Pleasent weather steering by the wind

gamming with the Mariner

Thursday steering by the wind saw sail in sight

below New Brunswick bound to Cal

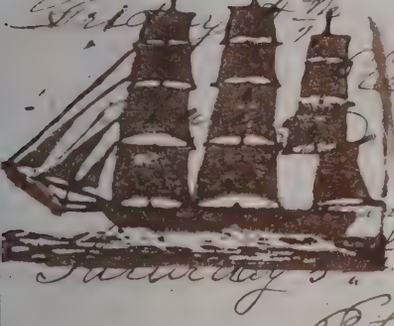
Friday ther steering East gammed



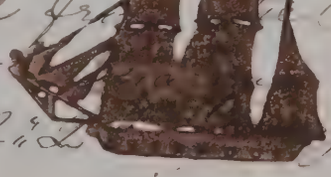
Montgomery New Bedford and

Nantucket saw a sail this

Friday 4th



Pleasent weather took a lot of Potatoes



on iron aboard Ship Mariner

Saturday 5th the Nantucket

Lat Lon

Pleasent weather steering E. Mariner in sight of our weather quarter unable to

a Breach so Ends the Day

Sunday 6th Lat

Pleasent weather steering on the wind

steering E by S

Bark Sea Queen 1853

February

Monday 7th Pleasant weather steering N.N.W
Employed painting iron work

Tuesday 8th Lat 45 South
Pleasant weather steering N.N.W
saw a school of black fish

Wednesday 9th "
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
nothing in sight so ends the Day

Thursday 10th "
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
employed painting so ends the day

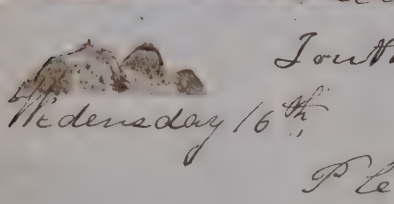
Friday 11th "
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
nothing in sight so ends the day

Saturday 12th "
Hoods Pleasant weather steering S.S.W
Hoods Island in sight so ends the day

Sunday

Pleasant weather steering N.N.W gam... sig^d
the conqueree of N^t Bedford Charles Island

South Head Pleasant weather steering N.E. by E
sighted South Head at 10 P.M gammed
the conqueree of N^t Bedford

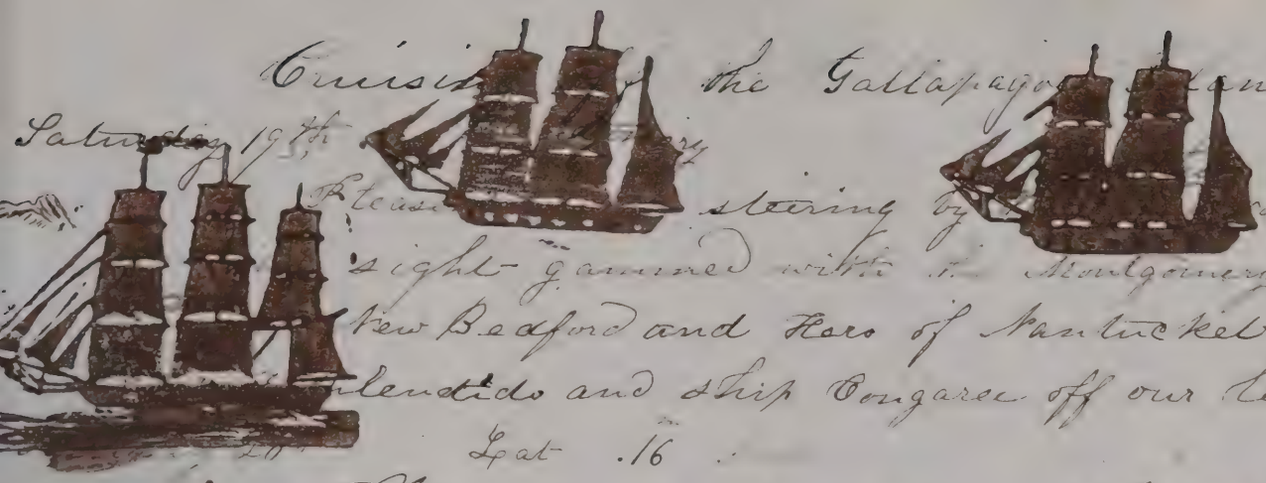

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
South Head and anarbora in sight so ends the

Wednesday 16th "
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
Bark ship and brig in sight of lee beam

Thursday 17th "
Rainy weather and calm Employed scraping
Bark bottom and washing her outside
South Head and arbor in sight

Friday 18th
Land in sight
Pleasant weather steering all around
and brig in sight
the conqueree Montgomery Fanthawn

Cruising in the Gallapagos Islands 1853

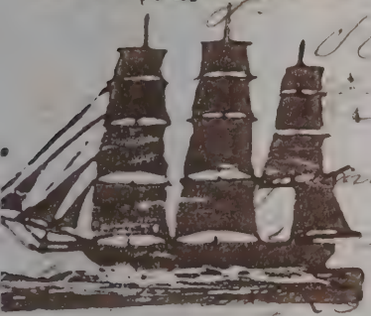


Saturday 19th Pleasant steering by the wind with head sight gammed with the Montgomery's Partition New Bedford and Ross of Nantucket Brig Splendido and Ship Congaree off our lee

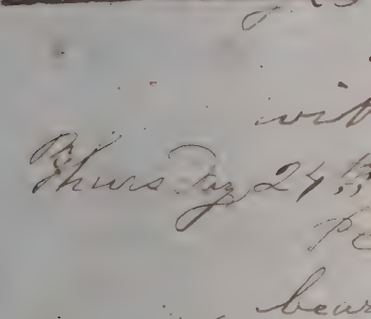
Lat .16 .

Sunday 20th Pleasant weather steering by the wind standing off and on spoke the Congaree Partition and Montgomery in sight

Monday 21st Pleasant weather & North head gammed with the Montgomery Partition splendido & Rotunda rock in sight



Tuesday 22nd Pleasant winds steering [illegible] employed [illegible] with the Congaree & [illegible]



[illegible]

Wednesday 24th Pleasant [illegible] with the Congaree. [illegible]

Thursday 24th Pleasant weather steering by the wind bearing S & W South Head in sight

Friday 25th Pleasant weather bearing S by W land in sight saw 3 or 4 fin backs

Saturday 26th Pleasant weather laying in the night passed the Montgomery at 7 A.M. about 1 mile off South Head in sight

Sunday 27th Pleasant weather steering by the wind bearing S S E land in sight [illegible] 24 hours

Monday 28th Pleasant weather steering by the wind broke out for flour and water

Bark Sea Queen March 1st 1859

Tuesday 1st

Rainy weather strong breezes steering by the wind nothing in sight so ends the day

Wednesday 2nd "

Rainy weather steering by the wind nothing in sight so ends the day Lat of noon

Thursday 3rd "

Rainy weather steering NE by N nothing in sight so ends this 24 hours

Friday 4th " Lat 2° 40 South

Pleasent weather steering by the wind heading NNW nothing in sight

Saturday 5th "

Pleasent weather steering by the wind heading NE & N nothing in sight employed cauking the forecastle so ends the day

Sunday 6th "

Pleasent weather steering by the wind heading SE & E nothing in sight so ends

Monday 7th

Pleasant weather steering [illegible] saw a large sperm whale about [illegible] lowered the boats but could not get near enough to strike it saw it until sundown so ends the day

Tuesday 8th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind nothing in sight

Wednesday 9th "

Pleasant weather steering [illegible] saw a finback run off for this half hour [illegible] lowered to the windward saw a short [illegible] sperm whales at 11 AM lowered the boats [illegible] struck [illegible] while [illegible] alongside cut [illegible] and [illegible] to [illegible] so [illegible]

Cruising off Kinds Island. 1852

March

Thursday 11th Pleasant weather employed cutting in Commenced trying at 2 PM nothing in sight

Friday 12th Pleasant weather employed trying out finished at 10 PM skowied 1 boat for a school of blackfish

Saturday 13th Pleasant weather steering employed cleaning ship coopering oil and sending down it takes so ends the day

Sunday 14th Pleasant weather steering by the wind NbW Sth Head in sight so ends the day

Monday 15th Anchored and South Head in sight Pleasant weather steering NW employed coopering shooks hoops &c

Tuesday 16th Pleasant weather steering by the wind employed caping shrouds land in sight

Wednesday 17th Pleasant weather steering NbW employed setting down coopering empty casks and coiling Rolanda Rock North South Head in sight

Thursday 18th Calm 2 Barks in sight to windward one hoisted her boats down we lowered and pulled about 4 miles did not see anything after we returned employed setting down gear rigging saw 2 sharks killed fish Rolanda Rock N by

Friday 19th sent 1 keg of butter aboard Calm employed setting down 2 Barks in sight to windward chasing blackfish

Saturday 20th Calm Finished passing gamed with the Barks Ohio & Rebecca and Callao Bark Captain Hussey the day

Ohio

Rebecca

Bark Sea Queen 1852

Tuesday 20th Calm Wayman's Island in sight Bark Ohio and Callis Bark in sight saw all kinds of fish but whales

Wednesday 21st Calm Wayman's Island in sight employed painting ship with the Ohio and Callis Bark in company Capt Mitchell so ends the day

Thursday 22nd Calm Callis Bark and Ohio in sight lowered for a school of black fish employed painting ship and rigging

Friday 23rd Light breeze steering East gammed with 2 Barks saw black fish Bill fish Shark Dolphin Albicors flying fish diamonds fish &c

Saturday 24th Commenced with very light winds steering by the wind on the starboard tack bearing E by S 2 Barks in sight Abington Island

Sunday 25th Strong breezes heading E NE employed scrubbing the ship inside with sand and water and scraping stanchions and pins and so ends the day

Monday 26th Pleasant weather steering to the Eastward employed painting ship inside so ends the day

Tuesday 27th Pleasant winds steering by the wind running in and out-bret porpoises

Lat 2.52

Wednesday 28th Pleasant weather steering S E employed painting spars &c ends the day

Thursday 29th Calm all day doing nothing Steering East

Cruising for whales 1853

Wednesday 36th Lat 1° North Light

Rain part of the day employed mending

the iron work &c° so ends the day

Thursday 37th Lat 1° 45' South

Pleasent weather steering by the wind

saw Ships E. & S employed mending

and painting

Friday April 1st 1853

Pleasent weather steering East employed

burnishing saw breaches off our weather bow

Latitude 2° 9'

Pleasent weather employed washing and

painting the Forecastle and Chests all

hands living on deck so ends the day

Sunday 3rd Lat 3° 59' North

Strong breezes all hands living on deck

Monday 4th

Pleasent weather having employed

ing thing that belong to the forecastle

ived the Ship Sherman at 11h A.M.

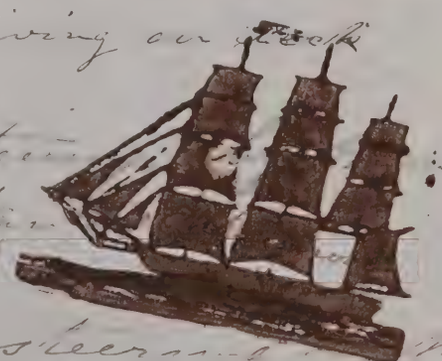
in Jacked Ship and stood towards the

e her at 3 PM had a gain so ends the

Tuesday 5th

leasent weather gunsoned with the Sherman

tucked all hands living on deck



Pleasent weather steering

14th Ship

Pleasent weather steering by the wind saw

the Sherman this morning so ends the

Pleasent weather saw breaches

not see anything

Latitude

Barque Sea Queen at sea 1853

April

Sunday 10th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
nothing in sight

Monday 11th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
employed coopering oil so ends this day

Tuesday 12th

Pleasent weather steering S S E employed
breaking out the fore hole and stowing
down oil finished so ends the day

Wednesday 13th Lat 2.45 South

Pleasent weather steering S W by S
saw a breach of our weather bow sighted
Chatham Island so ends the day

Thursday 14th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
Hoods Hoods Island in sight so ends the day

Friday 15th

Pleasent weather steering S the
Hoods Southward nothing but Hoods in sight

Saturday 16th Lat 2° 55' South Long 89° 11' East

Pleasent weather steering E by East
nothing in sight so ends the day

Sunday 17th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
nothing in sight so ends the day

Monday 18th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind heading
South by east Spanked the main sail

Tuesday 19th

Steering S by E Southward nothing
in sight so ends the day

Wednesday 20th

Pleasent weather nothing in sight
steering S S E so ends the day

Thursday 21st

Pleasent weather employed mending
the gaff Topsail

East West

Cruising for whales Lat 2° 38 Long 87.03

Friday 22nd April

Pleasent weather steering by the wind heading E by E nothing in sight so ends the day — — — —

Saturday 23rd Lat 1.50 Long 87.59

Pleasent weather steering N W nothing in sight painted the house overhead so ends the day

Sunday 24th

Pleasent weather steering N W nothing in sight so ends the day

Monday 25th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind and N W by W Charles Island in sight so ends the day

Charles I.

Tuesday 26th

Pleasent weather steering N W & W Charles Island in sight so ends

Charles I.

Wednesday 27th

Pleasent weather steering W N W Charles Island in sight so ends in sight

Charles I.

Thursday 28th

Pleasent [illegible] steering down by south [illegible] the President of Hector of New Bedford

All three [illegible] sent all hands ashore turpening on south head we got 2 small one and one weighed about 6.50 lb. came aboard have got enough of south head [illegible] so ends the day

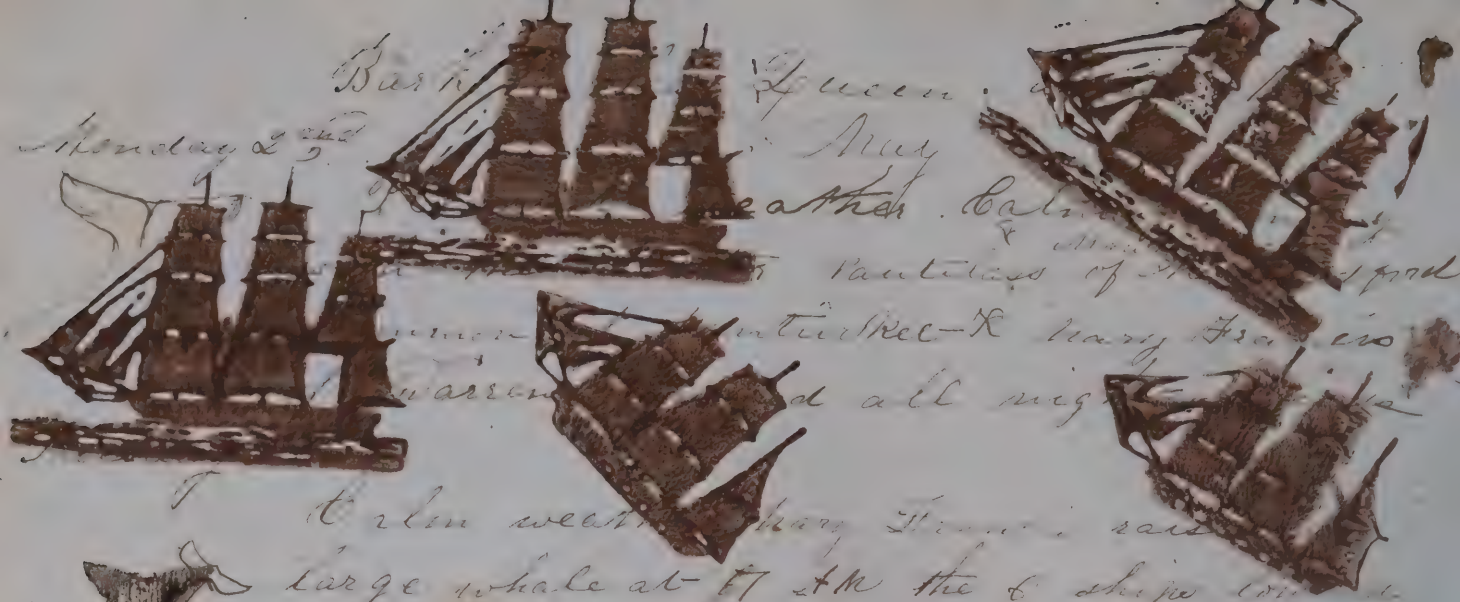
Charles I.

Saturday 30th

Pleasent [illegible] weather [illegible] with the [illegible] and Hector of New Bedford 2 [illegible] ward so ends the day

Sunday May 1st 1853 Past sea. Queen of Islands head

Pleasent weather cruising off weather bay & sail in sight so ends the day



Bark Queen

Monday 2nd May

weather Calm ... Nautilus of ... Fran... warren ... all night ...

Calm weather ... large whale at 7 A.M. the 6 ships ... their boats and pulled until noon did not get the whale so ends the day

Wednesday 4th "

Pleasant weather steering for Round rock sent a boat fishing while they were fishing the Nautilus raised whales lowered and chased till sundown so ends

Thursday 5th "

23 bbls

Pleasant weather Calm raised whales this morning lowered at 1 P.M. the Coffin & a small one got him alongside at dark

Friday 6th "

Calm raised whales 10 A.M. lowered ... Smith fastened at 2 P.M. ... at 4 P.M. towed the whales 20 miles got aboard at 10½ P.M. cut the small whale in this morning sent one watch below and kept one on deck cutting Rubber

Saturday 7th "

Employed trying out and cutting in finished cutting in both whales

Sunday 8th "

Employed trying out and breaking out the main hatch way so ends the day

Monday 9th "

Employed trying out finished at 5 P.M. rolled away 91 bbls from the cooler so ends this days

Tuesday 10th "

Employed washing the ship so ends the day

Cruising for Whales
May
Wednesday 11th
Pleasant weather steering E & N E saw porpoises and fin backs so ends
Thursday 12th
Pleasant weather steering to the eastward setting up shrouds nothing in sight so ends the day
Friday 13th
Pleasant weather steering E by S nothing in sight employed setting up pipes so ends the day
Saturday 14th
Pleasant weather steering to the westward saw porpoises so ends the day
Sunday 15th
Pleasant weather steering to the eastward saw mans Island and Cullapepers in sight
Monday 16th
Pleasant weather remains in sight all hands employed repairing all steering to the eastward so ends the day
Tuesday 17th
Bound for Cacus Island
Pleasant weather steering to the eastward all hands employed breaking out and stowing down the fore hole so ends
Wednesday 18th
Pleasant weather steering to the eastward all hands employed stowing down washed off deck at night so ends the day
Thursday 19th
caught a Porpoises
Strong breezes steering East washed the ship all over inside so ends the day
Friday 20th
Strong breezes steering E nothing in sight so ends the day
Saturday 21st
Strong breezes steering N E nothing in sight so ends the day

Bark Sea Queen 1853

Sunday 22nd May

Strong breezes raised Cocos Island this morning off our larboard beam braced the yards and stood for it - came to an anchor at 6½ P M raising weather in the bay

Monday 23rd Tripal anchor

Rainy weather took aboard 1 raft of water so ends the day 87 bbls

Tuesday 24th

Rainy A M Pleasant P M took aboard 1½ raft of water 100 bbls so ends the day

Wednesday 25th Bound to Tecambus

Pleasant weather all hands went ashore and had a raft took 80 bbls of sand and the rest of our water got the ship underweigh at 4 P M steering to the eastward bound to Tecambus so ends the day

Thursday 26th

Pleasant weather steering to the eastward nothing in sight employed stowing down chain and mending the fil

Friday 27th

Strong breezes steering S E nothing in sight so ends the day

Saturday 28th

Strong breezes steering S E employed mending the main de gallantsail nothing in sight so ends the day

Sunday 29th

Pleasant weather steering East raised the land at 12 M saw a ship off our lee so ends the day

Monday 30th

Pleasant weather came to an anchor at 10 A M off Tecambus sent 2 boats crews on shore cutting wood - took on board the ship

Lee Port

Tuesday 31st killed a pig Fine
Pleasant weather Men employed ashore
shipping wood took 2 boat loads aboard

Wednesday June 1st 1853
Employed shipping wood and getting
it off took 5 boat loads aboard

Thursday 2nd killed a pig
Starboard watch gone ashore on liberty
employed boating off and stowing down
wood took 2 boat loads off wood aboard

Friday 3rd
Starboard watch ashore on liberty
employed boating off and stowing down
took aboard 3 boat loads of wood

Saturday 4th
~~killed a pig~~
Starboard watch ashore on liberty
took aboard our last boat load ends
the wooding

Sunday 5th
Larboard watch ashore on liberty
so ends the day

Monday 6th
Pleasant weather some of the watch
came aboard at 7 A.M. and the rest at
2 P.M. the captain took aboard a
lot of oranges bananas plantains
and cocoanuts weighed anchor
and went to sea steering by the
wind

Tuesday 7th

Strong breezes steering by the wind
spoke an English Bark from Panama
bound to Liverpool cargo Pearl shells
and log wood

Wednesday 8th
Strong breezes steering by the wind
found [illegible]

Bark Sea Queen 1853

Thursday 9th June

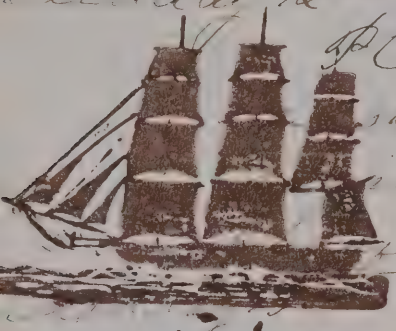
Strong breezes steering by the wind saw ship astern and ahead saw the land

Friday 10th

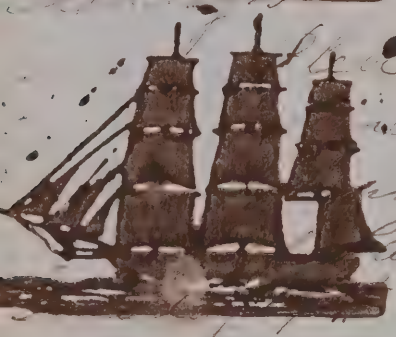
Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw the ship steering S.E. and W.S.W. in Panama bound to Callao Lima

Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw ship and brig hove in sight

Sunday 12th 3 sail in sight



Pleasant weather steering to the westward saw the Clifford wayne [illegible] run down to her there [illegible] fin backs had a [illegible]



Pleasant weather steering by the wind Isle of Pinta in sight [illegible] with the Clifford wayne Sir Huwin 12 sail in sight

Strong breezes steering to the westward saw Clifford wayan this morning sounded

Wednesday 15th Employed painting boats

Fine pleasant weather steering to the westward raised whales at 1/2 P.M. on our lee bow going to leward [illegible] them until dark but did not get near enough to lower came to with our main yard aback layed until 11 PM steered in steering S.S.E. saw

Thursday 16th

35 bbls Sperm Pleasant weather lowered to the [illegible] ing the westward raised the whales Point and our weather bow lowered at 10 A.M. Mr Snow & Mr Coffin got a small

6 bbls whale apiece got them alongside at

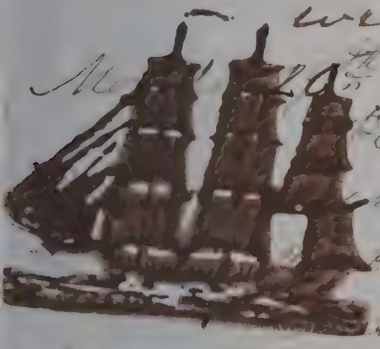
Cruising for Whales Lat 28° N

June

Friday 17th Pleasant weather employed cutting in finished at 6 P.M. commenced trying out so ends the day ----

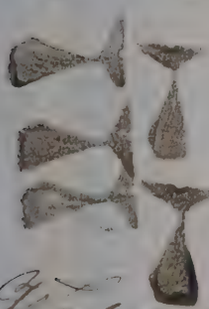
Saturday 18th Pleasant weather steering by the wind employed trying out finished at 6 P.M. cleaned up until dark so ends

Sunday 19th Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward passed ship



Monday 20th Pleasant [illegible] ship [illegible]

Tuesday 21st Pleasant weather the Eugena raised whales this morning lowered and struck one we lowered but did not get fast P. A. P. and him in sight so ends the day



Wednesday 22d Pleasant weather steering East [illegible] sent letter [illegible] with the P. A. Packet Edward the P. A. P. saw a wreck of [illegible] sail in sight to leeward so ends

Thursday 23d Pleasant weather steering West [illegible] spoken with the P. A. P. Bedford

Friday 24th Pleasant weather steering N.E. employed painting starboard boats and anchor

Saturday 25th Pleasant weather steering N.E. [illegible] in sight so ends the day

Bark Sea Queen 1853

June

Sunday 5th

...sent weather steering by the wind ...e eastward gammed with the ...ian Bark ... of Fair Haven ... ends

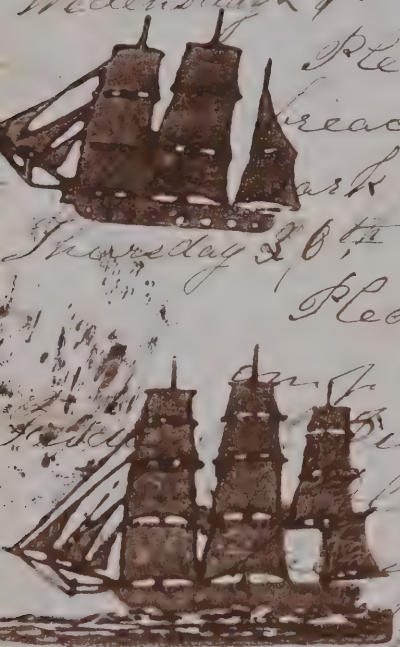
...ong breezes steering to eastward ... a number of fin backs gammed with ...illian Batch of Fair Haven Capt ... sounded

Pleasent weather steering by the wind gammed with the Bark Eugine ...

Wednesday 29th ... employed painting iron-

Pleasent weather saw humpbacks breaching all day gammed with the Bark Eugena of New Bedford ...

Thursday 30th



Pleasent weather steering N.W.E ... employed painting iron work

Friday July 1st 1853 Bound for Sea ... had

Pleasent weather steering ... westward gammed with the ... Bark Wm ...

Saturday 2nd

Light ... steering westward ... with the Clifford Wayne and Bark Perseverance ... ends the day

Sunday 3rd Light breezes Clifford Wayne ... sight ... ends the day

Monday 4th Wonderful Celebration

Pleasent weather we celebrated this day by hauling up the main sail and standing to the eastward this P.M employed coopering oil and breaking out the main hold finished this 4th by stowing down had a splendid water work this P.M by washing the ships all over the ... of her ... Read steering ...

Cruising for Sperm Whales

July

Tuesday 5th
Hoods — Pleasant weather steering East ward
nothing in sight so ends the day

Wednesday 6th
Bark Peru came to anchor
at 6 P.M.
Pleasant weather came to an anchor
at 2 P.M. on the east side of Albermarle

Thursday 7th
Pleasant weather all event ashore
to back turpin Clifford Wyman
and hired at 10 ct. lay

Friday 8th
All hands ashore backing turpin
captain employed painting ship

Saturday 9th
All hands ashore backing turpin

Sunday 10th
All hands ashore backing turpin

Monday 11th
All hands ashore backing turpin

Tuesday 12th
All hands ashore backing turpin

Wednesday 13th
All hands ashore backing turpin
all three boats came aboard

Thursday 14th
Employed stowing down turpin
finished at 12 A.M. so ends day

Friday 15th
Pleasant weather took our anchor
at 7 A.M. squared in steering N.W.b.W.
with 140 live turpin aboard and

Saturday 16th
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
Bodmans Rock in sight beating to windward

Sunday 17th
Pleasant [illegible] off North head
steering by the wind [illegible]

Bark Sea Queen July 1853

Monday 18th " On Shore July

Pleasant weather steering by the wind employed altering the round house into a galley so ends the day

Tuesday 19th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind off anarbora employed making scrub brooms and making the galley

Wednesday 20th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind employed making scrub brooms & Barks in sight off the lee beam so ends the day

Thursday 21st "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind off weather bug employed making scrub brooms & sails in sight to leward struck a ground

Friday 22nd "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind Gammon the Lafayette New Bedford Constitution Pantucket off weather bug

down the galley and put the stove to the house so ends the day

Saturday 23rd "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind with the Lafayette Constitution California brig in sight

Sunday 24th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind of South head 3 sail in sight

Monday 25th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind standing South by West employed knocking down the fore sail so ends the day

Cruising for 11 weeks Lat 1.30

Tuesday 26th Pardy

Pleasant weather steering the Bark by the wind heading E by N employed mending the fly jib sounded

Wednesday 27th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind heading E by S South head in sight

Thursday 28th

Pleasant weather steering NE off in the bay sounded the day

Friday 29th

Pleasant weather steering N by W gammed with the bri venezuela of San Francisco 4 bbls black fish off in bay Redunda Rock in sight

Saturday 30th

Pleasant weather steering E by E running down by Redunda Rock employed setting up forward stays sounded

Sunday 31st

Pleasant weather steering by the wind Ship Constitution in sight cutting in Bark Lafayette eight whaling Redunda rock windward sounded the day

August 1st 1858 Cruising

Pleasant weather Ship Constitution sailing gammed with the bind Lafayette Layed aback a

2nd

Pleasant weather steering around [illegible] and gamming with the [illegible] Partial of Newfoundland Constitution Pardy [illegible] Saw a Sperm [illegible] Abington [illegible]

Pleasant weather steering Constitution & Lafayette in company

Bark Isla Dieren 1865

Thursday 4th August

Pleasant weather steering East saw some fin backs during the day

Friday 5th

Thursday

Strong breezes steering to the eastward employed doing nothing during the day

Saturday 6th

Strong breezes steering ~~to the eastward~~ Ship in sight ~~to~~ off our weather quarter raised whales 3½ Pm lowered the boats but did not get fast broke out for better ~~do~~ during the night

Sunday 7th

Fri

Strong breezes steering by the wind saw a ship supposed to be the Augustus of N Bedford saw breeches of our weather boat

Monday 8th

Strong breezes steering by the wind Starboard tack saw fin backs hauled back the main yard and put on some lead sculpers

Tuesday 9th

Pleasant weather steering S.E nothing in sight

Wednesday 10th

Strong breezes steering S.E reefed topsails and furled the mainsail broke out for water sent down 4 pcs 4 gallon bags and filled them and pleasant up again

Thursday 11th

Strong breezes and cloudy under short sail all Day

Fri 12 Strong breezes under short sail

At Sea August

Sat 13 Strong breezes under short sail
Cloudy weather all Day.

Sun 14 Strong breezes made sail
& Cloudy weather

Mon 15 Light winds and Cloudy,
looking for the land all Day
killd a hog.

Tues 16 Light winds and Cloudy,
saw the land Head

Wed 17 Strong breezes and Cloudy weather
the land in sight and fine backs

Thurs 18 Stong breezes and Cloudy weather
Charles Isle in sight sent a
boat on shore and got a hog, and
pair of the Barby's

Fri 19 Light winds and Cloudy
South head in sight & Spoke
the bark Anaconda N Bedford

Sat 20 Light winds an Cloudy weather
had a jam with the Anaconda
saw the ladies had a good time
the Barks boiling 50 bbls Jam.

Sun 21 Strong breezes and Cloudy
Spoke the Ship "ZACK PETER"
South Head of Liverpool bound to San Francisco
South head in Sight and the Anaconda

Bark Sea Queen August

Sun 22 Light winds and pleasant weather cruising off Los Angeles and a pan with the Bark Anacondia, mrs Lawrance came on board the Sea Queen got some sugar, coffee and paint and other small things from her

Mon 23 Light winds and pleasant the land in sight all day saw plenty fin backs saw a bark at sun set a head

Tues 24 Light winds and calm saw the Ship Constution Bark Lafayette at 7 P.M the two vessels that came along side with the two boats and we had a game until two Oclock

Wed 25 Light winds and calm saw plenty of porpoises

Light winds and calm saw the Ship and Bark at N° 2 for the Redondo Rock the Ship and Bark in sight saw plenty porpoises and Sharks

Sat 27 Light winds and Calm the land in sight, saw 3 sails to day saw fin backs and porpoises.

Sun 28 Calm the rock and north head in sight, 2 sails in sight to day saw dark fish fin backs & porpoises last the rock at Dark.

At Sea August 29th 1853

Mon 29 Light winds and calms the rock in sight at 1 P.M. saw some spanish boats board for them at 10 A.M. and pulled till 5 P.M. got none, the constitution sent her 3 boats in chase.

Tues 30 Light winds and calm Steering N E saw porpoises and fin backs. last sight of the rock.

Wed 31 Light winds and pleasant weather saw fin backs part of the morning Isle to get some fish got about 30 good fish, strong breeze at Dark to ends this month.

Sept 1853

Thurs 1st Light wind and Cloudy employed setting up pipes for water, heard the Cocos Island. Steering by the wind Heading East

Friday 2nd "Pleasant weather steering E by N saw finbacks as ends the Day

Saturday 3rd "Strong breezes steering S by E employed breaking out and storing casks to put water in as ends the day

Sunday 4th "Pleasant weather steering S by W at raised Cocos Island at 1/4 5 - 3 points on our larboard bow hauled aback the main yard at 12 P.M. as ends the

Cocos

Monday Bark Isa Simon at anchor
September 5th 1853

Pleasant weather came to unc[h]
at 1.30 PM took aboard 1.2[0] bbls
of water saw a Bark back
in the harbor had the last boat
at 5 PM ends the day

Tuesday 6th "

Pleasant weather put some spars
on the ship this morning to aboard
60 bbls of water and weighed anchor
steering S.E.b.S. bound to Tombez

Wednesday 7th " Bound to Tombez

Rainy weather steering by the
wind on the Starboard tack the
shamber gaff came down by the
run this morning employ-
ed setting up the mizzen topmast rig
and sending up the shamber gaff

Thursday 8th " Lat 2[illegible] South

Pleaseat weather steering by the
wind on the Starboard tack
employed tarring rigging and
fitting scutchman nothing in sight

Friday 9th "

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
heading S.E employed tarring down

Saturday 10th " Lat 2[illegible] North Long 81 East

Pleasent weather rose whales a 7 AM
[illegible] 3 points off the lee bow lowered the
boats at 8 AM Mr Coffin got fast
to a large whale Mr Smith fastened to
the [illegible] got capsized and stove Mr Snow
got fastened and help kill him "waste boat
got stove but not lost took him
alongside at 11 AM to eat our dinners
and to attend again Mr Snow & Mr Coffin
got a small whale a piece took them in
alongside at 4 PM got up tackles and [illegible]
out pipes and [illegible] turned in for

At Sea Sept 11th 1852.

Sunday 11th

Pleasent employed cutting in and trying out cut in the small whale and the large whales body starboard watch first watch on deck at night

Monday 12th

Pleasent weather employed trying out cut in the other small whale and the large whales fin sevens the day

Tuesday 13th

Rainy AM employed boiling and bailing Case Cooper busy setting up hoops send the day

Wednesday 14th

Pleasent weather finished boiling at 12 M Coopered all the oil and washed off got through with the whole at 5½ PM rolled away from the coles 150 bbls of first rate sperm oil 6.000

Thursday 15th

Pleasent weather steering by the wind on the starboard tack saw the land in the first watch sounds this 24 hours

Friday 16th

Columbia

Pleasent weather steering by the wind on both tacks in sight of the main land plenty of Humpbacks in sight

Saturday 17th Lat 45 miles South

sent down the fore deg sail

Platte

Pleasent weather steering by the wind on both tacks saw the Isle of Platte a brig and plenty of Humpbacks sounds

Sunday 18th

Platte

Pleasent weather steering by the wind on both tacks Isl of Platte in sight brig in sight to windward saw plenty of Humpbacks and porpoises

Monday 19th Lat 55 Nth

Platte

Strong breezes steering by the wind on both tacks saw the Isle and a wreck isle of Platte in sight sounds 72 fathom

Bark Sea Queen 1852

Tuesday 20th Lat 13S South September

Pleasent weather steering by the wind saw point St Helena 2 ships at anchor Humpbacking saw the Bark to leward employed painting fair leaders and taking down boys employed setting up pipes

Wednesday 21st

Strong breeze steering by the wind on both tacks saw Hawsers Rocks point St Helena in sight all day

Thursday 22nd

Light breeze steering S S by E until 12 M spoke a dinky bound to St Helena braced the yards and steered South saw a Bark & brig Isle of Wight in sight came to an anchor at 7 PM 2 miles from the shipping in Lombery in 12 fathom of water ends the day

Friday 23rd

Pleasant weather took our anchor at daylight and steered for Lombery dropped anchor at 9½ A M ships at anchor the Zephyr. B. Emma. B. Eugenei. B. Mecator. B. Ohio and Ship Pantilus & Pilot Ship Sophia Somonte of Lombery Commenced Coopering the oil

Saturday 24th

Pleasent weather employed breaking out and stowing down Bark Ohio went to Sea Ship Constitution of Nantucket came to and a Shoe took aboard 4 bbls of oysters ends this day

Lat. Cruising in Turkey Pass

Sunday 25th September

Pleasant weather took aboard 400 oranges and a few pumpkins employed eating oranges and gamming B. Columbus and ship Catawba of Nantucket 3 P.M. Hove to and Ship Mary Wilder of N. Bedford and a Spanish brig came to anchor to day all hands went ashore on the point so ends the day

Monday 26th

Pleasant weather employed stowing down oil the brig went to sea to day a Spanish outside laying off and on took aboard 4 cords of wood so ends

Tuesday 27th

Pleasant weather employed stowing down took aboard 2 coil of rope took ashore 4 casks to get water finished work so ends the

Wednesday 28th

Pleasant weather, washed ship and brought off a raft of water took aboard about 40 bbls potatoes so ends

Thursday 29th

Pleasant weather have short this morning and then went a gamming until 1 P.M. waiting for a fair tide B. Emma B. Eugene B. LaQuem and ship Mosher got underweigh at 1½ P.M. steering by the wind bound to Bayta to give liberty saw a sail to windward a number of Humpbacks in sight [illegible] took aboard 10 bbls potatoes and 2 hogs sent 6 bbls pickled pork [illegible]

Friday 30th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind in the Turkey Pass (so) [illegible] to windward so ends the day

Bark Sea Queen 1853

Saturday October 1st 1853

Strong breezes steering by the wind
on both tacks saw the land in sunset

Sunday 2nd "

Strong breezes steering by the
wind on the starboard tack came
to an anchor in Papeete harbor at
3 P.M. Ship Brother Jonathan of Nantucket, brig Venezuela of Cali
fornia & boats laying at anchor in
port 7 or 8 merchantmen and a Chinese
saver sounds the day

Monday 3rd "

Pleasant weather employed washing
and painting ship Bark Emma
and ship Brother came to an anchor
at 1 P.M carried mrs Marshall
ashore to stop until we get ready to
go to sea

Tuesday 4th "

Pleasant weather employed painting
ship Bark Eugene & Papeete laying
off and on a Spanish brig came to an
anchor at 11 A.M so ends the day

Wednesday 5th "

Bark Eugene laying off and on.
Pleasant weather Starboard watch
ashore on liberty Finished painting
ship but she dries and then give
her another coat outside if she
needs it so ends the days

Thursday 6th "

Pleasant weather starboard watch ashore

Friday 7th

Pleasant weather & starboard ashore on liberty

Saturday 8th

Pleasant weather larboard watch ashore

Sunday 9th

Pleasant weather Starboard watch ashore

Arrived in Payta Harbor 1853

Monday 10th " October

Pleasent weather employed painting boats
Starboard watch ashore on liberty &c

Tuesday 11th "

sent letter Pleasent weather Starboard watch ashore
on liberty employed getting of onions

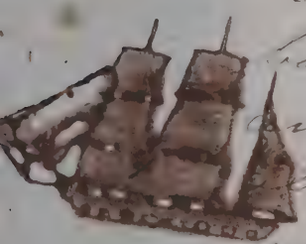
Wednesday 12th "

Pleasent weather. Larboard watch
ashore on liberty employed getting
a few onions &c ends the day

Thursday 13th "

Pleasent weather watch came aboard
all but 2 men weighed anchor and
went to sea on the Larboard tack
steering by the wind Bark Mecator
laying off and on so ends the day

Friday 14th "



Pleasent weather steering by the wind on
both tacks spoke the Bark Eugenie
and put captain Wood ~~on board~~
board saw the Bark Mecator to the
windward so ends the Day

Saturday 15th "

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
on the Larboard tack saw the Mecator
so ends this twenty four hours

Sunday 16th "

Pleasent weather tacked ship 7 AM
heading E by N saw plenty of Humpbacks
sail in sight at sundown so ends the day

Monday 17th "

Pleasent weather steering by
the wind standing to the Northward
saw Bark Mecator & Bark Eugenie Hove to

Tuesday " Sat 5 AM

Pleasent weather steering by the wind
saw a sail to windward standing to the
Northward & Eastward so ends

Payta

Bark Sea Queen 1853

October

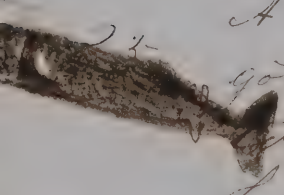
Pleasant weather run into Payta harbor the captain went ashore and shipped 2 Kanackas garnced with the Cangare

Thursday 20th "

Pleasant weather steering N & NW

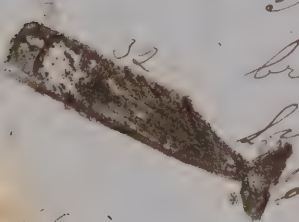
Friday 21st " Lat 5.09 South

Pleasant weather raised whales at 8 A.M lowered the boats and the Coffin got one took him alongside and took the boat up lowered at 1 P.M but did not gasten



Saturday 22nd "

Pleasant weather cut in the whale before breakfast and commenced trying out lowered the boats and the Coffin got one took him alongside and took the boat up lowered at 1 P.M but did not gasten



Sunday 23rd "

Pleasant weather employed cutting in and trying out pleanty of Humpbacks & in sight at sun set the day

Employed trying out finished at 7 A.M washed the ship inside rolled away 57 bbls

Tuesday 25th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on the Starboard tack saw Humpbacks & blackfish sent down the boats broke out oil soap cooper & mate employed repairing boats end the day

Wednesday 26th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw Humbacks & blackfish sends the

Thursday 27th "

Pleasant weather steering N W Fin backs and humpbacks in sight employed making scrub brooms sends the day

Cruising for Sperm Whales 1852

October

Friday 1st

Pleasant weather steering N.W employed repairing oil spoke Ship Peerless of Boston from San Francisco bound to Callao sends the day

Saturday 2d

Lat 4°23' South

Pleasant weather steering N.W employed stowing down oil plenty of humpbacks & fin backs in sight saw a sail to windward sends the day

Sunday 3d

Pleasant weather steering N.W.E saw fin backs & humpbacks sends the day

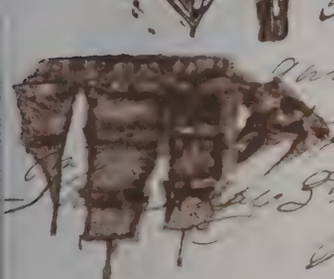
Monday 31st

Pleasant weather steering N.W employed repairing the mainsail saw 2 sails at 6 P.M run for them till 9 P.M lost sight of the sail on the starboard tack saw a school of grampuses and fin backs &c

November 1st 1852

Pleasant weather steering by the wind employed repairing mainsail

Steering by the wind employed repairing the Bark Ohio and the mainsail saw a merchantman

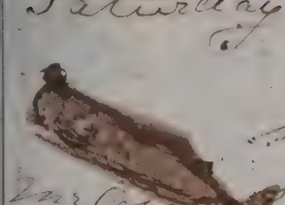


Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw 2 school of humpback Ohio & the ships in sight sends the day

Friday 4th

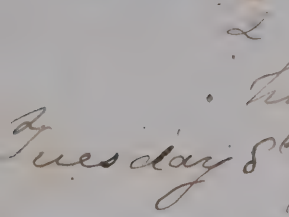
Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw from 3 till 6 P.M by longitude the wind on the larboard tack

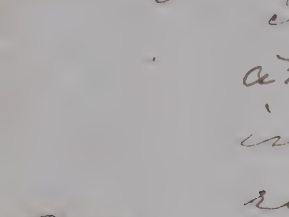
Saturday 5th

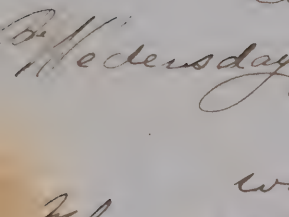


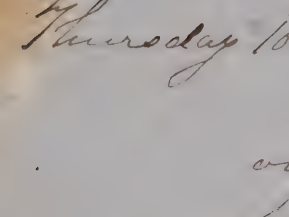
Pleasant weather saw the mariner this morning chasing whales run down for her the had also 1 bbl whale alongside we 23 Ibs oil amongst the whales about 4 P.M saw Cape Cod got 1 bbl whale got fast and lost him late

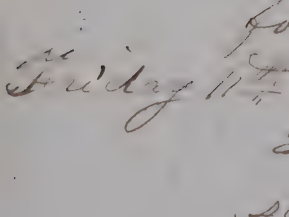
Bark. Sea. Queen. 1853

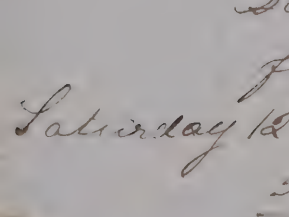












November 6th 53 Lat

Pleasant weather employed trying out before breakfast. Ship Sofia Lomontes sight bailing case. so ends this day

Lat 3°10 South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on starboard tack running with the main raised a dead whale about 2 P.M. took him alongside and cut him in commenced trying him out.

Tuesday 8th

Pleasant weather finished trying out at 1 P.M. and washed the ship inside with fresh water & sand. rolled away 24½ bbls of sperm oil

Wednesday 9th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind Sofia Lomontes in sight trying

Thursday 10th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks nothing in sight boarded ship for vinegar so ends the day killed 2 pigs

Friday 11th Lat 3°40 South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw the Sofia Lomontes this morning fin backs and porpoises in sight so ends the day

Saturday 12th Lat 3°01

Pleasant weather steering N.E. raised whales to the leward at 1½ P.M. lowered the boats Mr Snow and Mr Coffin got one apiece took the ship alongside saw another school at 4 P.M. lowered and Mr Coffin fastened it immediately took him alongside it about 8 P.M. got up tubs and tackles and and the rest of the rigging for trying out so ends this 24 hours

Cruising for Sperm Whales. 1852.

Sunday Nov. 13th Lat. Long.

Pleasant weather employed cutting in
started the trywks at 2 P.M. [illegible]

Monday 14th Lat 2.45

Pleasant weather finished at 6 P.M. rolled
away 45 bbls so ends the day

Tuesday 15th

Pleasant weather raised whales at day light
4 a mile from the ship lowered for both
and chased till 9 struck came aboard and
got breakfast lowered at 10 and chased
them till 4 P.M. but could not do with them

Wednesday 16th

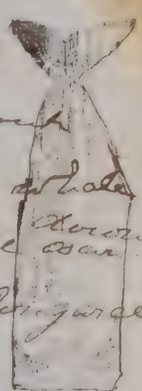
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
saw fin back alledge sounds the day

Thursday 17th

Pleasant weather steering West spoke
Ship Sophia Lomantes Tonbeg, sounds the day

Friday 18th

Pleasant weather employed coopering all
Sophia Lomantes raised whales we lowered and
boats at 12. P.M. the Smith struck a large whale
and the iron drawed chased them till
became aboard gammed with Ship Congarce



Saturday 19th

Employed breaking out and stowing
down Sophia Lomantes in sight steering east
Ship Congarce in sight sounds the day

Sunday 20th General Reformation

Pleasant weather employed stowing
down finished at 2 P.M.
washed the ship with salt and
fresh water scoured the hog tub
and the grind stone finished
by putting us on allowance
of beef Sophia Lomantes and
Congarce in sight sounds
the day

Bark Sea Queen 1863

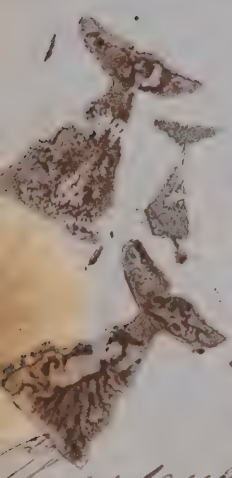
Monday Jan 19th

Pleasant weather steering W.S.W. spoke
Ship Congress of New Bedford bound
on a cruise aboard Sophia Soumates in sight
out Sea Boats & cruised all night

Tuesday 20th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
the Ship Peabes of New York bound
Panama Cargo of coal in sight this day

Pleasant weather steering W.N.W. sent
down the mizzen top gallant sail cruised with los
at 8 A.M. going to leward lowered the boat
on Smith fastened was fast about 2 hours
and the irons drawed Mr Coffin fastened
was fast about ½ a minute and the whale
drew & chased till 1 P.M. and came aboard
lowered at 3 P.M. and chased till ___ down
came aboard hauled forward standing 4 hours
on each tack all night so ends the day



Thursday 22d Lat 3.05' S. Long 84.48' W.

Strong breezes steering by the wind on
the starboard tack saw a school of fin
backs and ship Sophia Soumates fin ished
repairing the mizzen gallantsail and sent
it up furled the main sail and reefed
topsails so ends the day

Friday 23d

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
nothing in sight so ends the day

Saturday 24th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
on the starboard tack nothing in sight

Sunday 25th

Pleasant weather steering N.W. by W. spoke Ship
Soumates in sight saw a school of fin backs

Cruising for Sperm Whales

Monday 28th

Pleasant weather steering
gammed with the Sophia Lo

Tuesday 29th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
gammed with the Sophia Lou
Company of Bedford Lat 3.07 Lon
Pleasant weather steering
saw three in sight sounds the day

Thursday December 1st 1853

Cloudy weather steering N.E. Killed
a Big, sounds the day

Friday 2nd.

Pleasant weather steering N.E. by N
saw Fin backs breaching sounds the day

Saturday 3rd

Pleasant weather steering E.N.E Painted
the Larboard boats bottom inside painted
the bulworks and nice bench sounds the day

Sunday 4th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on
both tacks sounds this 24 hours

Monday 5th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
on both tacks nothing in sight sounds the day

Tuesday 6th Lat - 3.09 Lng 83.30

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
on the Starboard tack raised whales
at 7 A.M 1½ miles off lowered the boats
and drove them to windward at the rate
of 4 miles an hour chased till 10 A.M
and then came aboard. Captain called
us aft and gave us a lecture for
eating too much beef sounds this day

Wednesday 7th Lat - 3.22 employed fishing on
Strong breeze steering by the wind on both
tacks nothing in sight sounds this

Bark Sea-Queen Pacific Ocean 1853

Thursday 8th Lat 3° 12 South — December

Pleasant weather steering W. S. W. employed laying aback at fishing a shark caught a large dolphin at night

Friday 9th Lat 2° 57

Pleasant weather steering S. by W. ½ W. nothing in sight — 10 sounds the day

Saturday 10th Lat 2° 21

Pleasant weather steering S. by W. ½ W. scraped top masts layed aback all night

Sunday 11th

Pleasant weather steering S. by W. ½ W. nothing in sight — 10 sounds the day

Monday 12th Lat 1° 39

Pleasant weather steering W. by S. nothing in sight — 10 sounds the day

Tuesday 13th

Pleasant weather steering West layed aback all night — 10 sounds the day

Wednesday 14th Lat

Cloudy and foggy steering N. W. by W. raised the land at 9 A.M. the Cabo Frio Land Island bearing to the wind at 10 A.M. Goods Island 2 points on our lee bow at 1 P.M. kept off steering W. N. W. ½ W. and for Lee Bay at 5 P.M. spoke the Bark Ohio of New Bedford lay to the wind at night

Thursday 15th

Pleasant weather steering W. by W. ½ W. saw in sight gammed with Bark Ohio steered for a sword fish but could not catch him 10 sounds this 24 hours

Friday 16th

Cloudy & foggy steering N. W. ½ W. gammed with Bark Ohio bound to Newport saw South Head in sight 10 sounds the day

Cruising off the Galapagos Is
Saturday 17th 1853 December

Pleasant weather Lowered the sails and
Caught 3 blackfish Just Spoke her Saw me
jammed with the Bark L. Fayette so ends the day
Sunday 18th

Pleasant weather steering on both tacks off
land Rotunda rock spoke Bark Mary F. of Warren
Bark Lafayette & Montgomery in sight so ends the
day 19th

Pleasant weather sailing on both tacks off
land employed trying out blackfish
barks in sight so ends the day

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on
tacks jammed with the Lafayette & Mont
trying out carried away main & spanker gaff
Wednesday 21st

Pleasant weather cruising off North Head employed
mending the spanker and rigging the gaff
land carried away again at 7 P.M. Mermon & Montgom
and Mary Francis in sight so ends the

Thursday 22nd
Pleasant weather steering by
both tacks jammed with the Mermon
Lafayette Bark Montgomery in sight
also sail in sight to leeward so ends the day
Friday 23d

Pleasant weather steering off and on
land North Head the 3 vessels in sight so ends
Saturday 24th

Pleasant weather steering
off North Head yammed
Francis & Mermon Lafayette & Montgomery
sight so ends the day
Sunday 25th

Pleasant weather cruising off Albemarle with
4 sails in sight so ends the day

Bark Sea Queen 1853-54

Monday 26th Lat 5 Lon 53 December

Pleasant weather spoke the Bark Lafayette sold him a steering oar starts to day for the for. West rec'd out a pipe of bread and stowed down 2 bbls of flour and 3 of beef bought from the Harmon and Lafayette so ends the day

Tuesday 27th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks off lee bay Harmon Montgomery & Mary Francis in sight

Wednesday 28th

Pleasant weather steering [illegible] Aurora gaining [illegible] Harmon & Mary Francis Montgomery in sight and a sail to windward [illegible] aback all night so ends

Thursday 29th

Braced forward with a good breeze and pleasant weather steering for Redunda rock saw 2 sails this morning to windward so ends the day

Friday 30th

Pleasant weather steering for the rock lowered the boat at 5 P.M and caught 10 fish and left steering N.E so ends the day

Saturday 31st

Light wind and pleasant steering East Lat Long Poland in sight sail in sight of our larboard bow raining through the night so ends the A.D 1853 we have 700 bbls of oil aboard the ship and sent home 250 bbls

Cruising for Sperm Whales

January 1st 1854 Abington in sight

Rainy weather steering by the wind

Abington Abington island in sight to the eastward

sail in sight to windward all hands went in swimming

after supper cleared up all sight

2 Monday 2nd " Abington Island in sight

Light breeze and cloudy steering East saw

a school of finback and grampuses saw all night

3 Tuesday 3rd " Abington in sight

Rainy through the night and light breeze

gammed with the ship Francis of Fall River

4 Wednesday 4th " Bonlows Island in sight

Light breeze steering East Bonlows Island in sight

raining in the night sounds the day

5 Thursday 5th "

Tolerable weather good breeze steering by the

wind to the eastward sounds the day

6 Friday 6th " backed to the westward

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the

eastward nothing in sight raining nights

7 Saturday 7th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to

the eastward and Lobtheward nothing in sight

8 Sunday 8th " Long 89° Lat 2° South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the

eastward raised whales this morning at 7½ hours

lowered the boats and Mr Smith fastened

to a small whale Mr Coffin fastened to him

and killed him Mr Shaw went off and

fastened to a large whale he stove her and

then cat her to peices all but a small peice

of the stern John Watts of Fall River

was drowned we picked up some of the peices

and the crew and came aboard cut the

whale in and commenced boiling sounds

the day

Bark Lea Queen of Westport 1854

Sunday 9th January Lat = 54.

Pleasant weather steering by the wind employed boiling finished at 2 P.M. and washed off & rolled away & hold took the spare boat down and repaired her seams this day

Tuesday 10th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind employed getting the starboard boat ready for whaling sounds this day

Wednesday 11th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward raised whales at 1 P.M lowered at 3 P.M. Mr Coffin captured a small whale the rest showed sunk to

Thursday 12th "

Pleasant winds cut the whale in and boiled him out rolled away & hold braced forward standing to the eastward

Friday 13th "

Pleasant weather backed this morning standing to westward employed knitting out for another line &c washed off this morning nothing in sight

Saturday 14th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks Bark in sight to leeward so ends this twenty four hours

Sunday 15th " Lat 43 38 " South

Pleasant most of the day steering S.W. nothing in sight so ends the day

Monday 16th "

Steering W.N.W. raised whales at 41 on our lee bow lowered the boats and chased the 5 of them, came aboard braced forward steering E.S.E. sent down the top mast to repair it had been sprung while the boats was down so ends this day

Cruising for Sperm Whales 1854

Tuesday 17th January

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks saw in sight employed repairing sails finished at 11 A. M. sounds the day —

Wednesday 18th Lat at 1 45 South

Pleasant weather steering N. N. W and N. N. W Bark in sight sent down the gaff topsail repaired it and sent it up again at night hauled up the courses and laid to the wind

Thursday 19th

Pleasant weather steering N. N. W gammed with Bark Superior of New Bedford sighted Hoods Island sounds the day

Friday 20th

Pleasant weather steering gammed the Superior & Mary Frances sight- ing painting the iron work sounds the day

Saturday 21st

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks saw a school of fin backs and some breaches at sun down sounds. Hove to at twenty four hours

Sunday 22nd Lat 2 18 Lon

Pleasant weather steering by the wind Mr Smith raised whales at 11½ A. M. 3 boats lowered and Mr Coffin went alongside of them once and Mr Smith 4 times got one whale the other crews was not gaved for anything

Monday 23rd Bay of Hoods Island

Pleasant weather steering by the wind employed cutting in started the works at 9 A. M. gammed with Bark Superior in the evening sounds the day

Tuesday 24th

Pleasant weather finished laying out- boats this morning raised whales at 6½ A. M. lowered and chased three hours 2 whales and washed to lowered again at 3 and got —

Bark Sea Queen of Stockport

January

Wednesday 25th Pleasant weather employed cutting in wind commenced trying out Last watch first watch is ends this day

Thursday 26th

Pleasant weather employed trying out finished at 6 P.M. all hands turned in rolled away fifty bbls of good sperm oil ends

Friday 27th Lat 2°29 South

Pleasant weather steering N.E. & unbld the bark inside so ends the day

Saturday 28th Long 88°39 Lat 2°18

Pleasant weather steering N.W. by N. unbld whales this morning at 7 A.M. lowered the boats at 9½ Am Swan fastened to a whale Smith fastened to him and they towed up the other boats picked up 4 P.M. and came aboard took the whale alongside at 6 P.M. got ready to cut in Mary Francis boats lowered at 12 M. and chased until 2 am down all hands turned in so ends this 24 hours

Sunday 29th

Pleasant weather employed cutting in started the works at 11 A.M. so ends

Monday 30th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind under short sail finished Boiling at 2 P.M. rolled away 44 bbls from the cooler washed the ship and all hands had all night in

Tuesday 31st Lat 1°19 South

Pleasant weather all hands employed repairing & stowing down oil stowed off 74 bbls between decks saw the Bark Superior sailing under sail and run down to her and spoke her had a small whale gammed with the Bark City of Stockport 15 or 16 bbls all hands had all night in so ends this

Cruising for Whales Long 88:30 Lat 1:47

Wednesday 1st February 1854

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks washed ship inside the Morning Bark Superior in sight and Bark Ohio Cook in the gig to visit and repaired it and killed a hog sounds the day

Thursday 2nd "

Pleasant weather steering off a little gammed with Bark Ohio of New Bedford bought one her boats and put it on the larboard cranes and put the old one overhead so ends the day

Friday 3rd "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks painted the larboard boat outside

Saturday 4th " Long 81:30 Bark Ohio in sight

Strong breezes steering by the wind on both tacks washed the larboard boat inside and painted the boat overhead white so ends the day

Sunday 5th " Lat 2:33

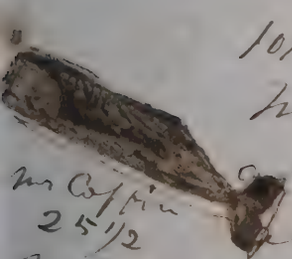
Strong breezes steering by the wind nothing in sight so ends the day

Monday 6th " Lat 2:37 South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward all hands employed Coopering and stowing down all hands in to night painted larboard boat inside

Tuesday 7th "

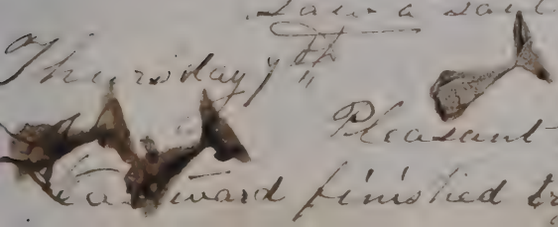
Finished stowing down raised whales at 10 A.M lowered and chased all day Mr Coffin got one small fellow took him along side at dark got ready for cutting in all hands turned in sounds the day



Mr Coffin 25 1/2

Wednesday 8th "

Employed cutting him in and trying out saw a sail ahead at sundown so ends the day



Thursday 9th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward finished trying at 4 A.M raised whales at 10 A.M lowered and chased all day

Bark Sea Queen February 1854

Friday 10th Fele till 2 N 52. South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward nothing in sight- sounds the day

Saturday 11th Lat 3 N 05 Long 89 W 15

Sling barges steering by the wind on both tacks nothing in sight- sounds the day

Sunday 12th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind nothing in sight- heavy squalls of rain through the night- took in all sail and hauled up the mainsail sounds the day

Monday 13th Lat 2 N 21 South

Pleasant weather steering N. W. sent down the M.T. topsail for repairs saw a school of black-fish at 4 P.M. bent the M.T. top sail hauled aback all night- sounds

Tuesday 14th

Cloudy had a rain squall at noon employed repairing the fib and F.T.M. sail finished and bent them at 4 P.M. Steering N.W. by W. saw nothing sounds the day

Wednesday 15th

Pleasant weather steering N. W. by W. gammed with Bark Superior of New Bedford employed setting up top mast backstays

Thursday 16th

Pleasant weather steering N. W. by W employed setting up top mast rigging Bark Superior in sight

Hands sighted Hoods I. this morning at 9 A.M. sounds the

Friday 17th

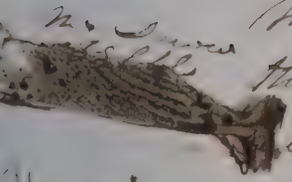
Pleasant weather employed fitting the rigging for rough weather and looking out the crew raised a whale about 50 fathoms from the ship lowered the boats and in five minutes he went down we cruised around there about 2 hours in the boats and then came aboard steering W. by W. saw the whale at 4 P.M. a cow and chased till sundown. Lat [illegible] did not get it

Cruising for Sperm Whales 1854

Saturday 18th February Lat" Long" of Hoods Island
Hoods Pleasant weather steering by the wind saw the land so ends the day

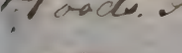
Sunday 19th "

Pleasant weather raised whales at 9 A.M. to leward lowered the boats Mr Snow fastened Mr Coffin fastened to the same one and the turned him up the starboard boat went board and chased the whales till 1 P.M.



Mr Smith lowered and fastened and set the whale to spouting blood his Coffin went to him and lanced him 2 or 3 times and went down and sounded and both lines & drugs and a black fish spike chased him till 4½ P.M. and came a board our ship and stood for him then took his whale alongside at 6½ P.M. and turned in so ends the day

Monday 20th " Lat" 1°68 South
Hoods. Pleasant weather employed cutting in and heaving out started the works at 3 P.M. so ends the "



Tuesday 21st "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind nothing in sight finished boiling at 2 P.M. and washed off rolled away 38 bbls from the coolers since Thursday

Wednesday 22nd " Long" 8°40. Lat" 2°15 South"
Hoods. Rainy weather steering N. and N.E. took in the light sail and came to the wind to the eastward

Thursday 23rd "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
Hoods. S. sent down the main sail for repairs finished and sent it up at 7 P.M. so ends the day

Friday 24th "

Pleasant weather light and calm
Hoods. S. employed sending down the mizen top mast so so ends the day

Saturday 25th " Lat" 1°47 South"
Hoods S. Calm sent down the spanker and repaired it painted the mizen t.p mast and broke out head and water casks so ends the day a pleasant

Mark Sea Queen From Westward 1854

Sunday 26th Lay Hood's Island February

Calm weather hands employed in sight

so ends the day hauled aback at 6 P.M.

Monday 27th "

Rainy weather in the morning employed

breaking out coopering oil and stowing down

in the after hole all hands turned in

stood to the Southward all night so ends

Tuesday 28th " Lat 3°41 Bound to the Caharaia

Pleasant weather strong breeze finished stowing

down and washed the ship at 11 A.M.

saw breaches after dinner Above ship at

10 A.M steering by the wind to the

S.W. Westward nothing in sight

Wednesday March 1st 1854 Lat 5°30 South

Pleasant weather heading S.E. by S. employed

repairing the foresail strong breeze and rainy

through the night so ends the day

Thursday 2nd " Lat 6°39 "

Strong breeze steering by the wind heading

S.E. by S. finished repairing the foresail

and bent it 3 P.M. so ends the day

Commenced standing half watches

Starboard watch Eight hours out

Friday 3rd " Lat 5°30 South

Strong breeze steering by the wind heading

S.E. by S. finished down topmasts and painted

the Barnacles cask so ends the day

Saturday 4th " Lat 10°24 South

Pleasant weather heading South

all sail out so ends the day

Sunday 5th " Lat 12°35 Long 95°00

Pleasant weather heading S.E. by S. nothing in sight

so ends this day

Monday 6th " Lat 14°46 South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind

the greater part inside and last overhead

so ends the 24 hours

Voyage to Salvadore from Rhode Island

Tuesday 7th Lat- 16°52 South Course

Strong breze steering by the wind heading S.S.E employed caulking the quarterdeck so ends the day

Wednesday 8th " Lat " Cloudy Long " Cloudy

Squally weather steering by the wind heading S.S.E employed caulking the deck

Thursday 9th " Lat- 20°45 South

Rainy weather steering by the wind employed picking oakum finished caulking the quarter Deck so ends the day

Friday 10th " Lat " 22°52 South "

Pleasant and rainy weather steering by the wind employed picking oakum so ends the day

Saturday 11th " Lat 24°44 South "

Strong breze carried topsails this morning had a heavy squall this morning parted the jib halliards parted main-Topsail earing pleasant weather through the night

Sunday 12th " Lat- 26°45

Cloudy weather with squalls of rain steering by the wind heading E. S.E so ends

Monday 13th " Lat " 28°04

Pleasant weather steering the course E.S.E employed setting up pipes took the plank out of the gang and caulked the deck underneath and planing the quarter deck so ends the day

Tuesday 14th " Lat " 29°06 South

Pleasant weather steering E.S.E employed painting boat setting up pipes planing quarter deck setting up rattlings all guys &c and caulking the stern picking oakum throwed in so ends the day

Wednesday 15th " Lat- 29°27 Long " 90°52

Light wind and pleasant weather steering East employed caulking deck setting up pipes planing the gratings finished painting the boats and scraping Stantions so ends the day

Caught a Porpoise

Bark Sea Queen March 16th 185-

Thursday 16th Lat 30°06' Long 68°39'

Pleasant weather steering E.S.E employed caulking deck setting up pipes scraping stantions and taring Rigging around the decks so ends the day

Friday 17th Lat 30°52 Long 86°45

Calm heading E.S.E employed boiling paint oil scraping stantions setting up pipes and scraping deck Ship in sight of our starboard quarter Bark in sight to windward so ends

Saturday 18th Lat 31°17

Calm weather employed setting up pipes and boiling paint oil Bark in sight to windward steering by the wind so ends

Sunday 19th Lat 32°10 South Long

Light wind with heavy squalls of rain steering by the wind all day heading N.E. shift of wind steering E.S.E so ends

Monday 20th Lat Cloudy Long 84°14'.

Sent a new Spanker Strong breeze steering E.S.E & rainy all day reefed the fore top sail at 3 P.M. ~~saw the day~~ had 5 small ships in sight but Sail to windward Seconds this day left 2 of them away

Tuesday 21st Lat 35°05 Long 83°01

Light wind and pleasant weather employed setting up pipes serving windlass Killed a hog this day ~~saw~~ ends this day

Wednesday 22nd Lat 35°31 Long 80°32 West

Pleasant weather steering East employed painting ship inside saw a whale ship on our starboard quarter had some rain through the night so ends

Thursday 23rd Lat Cloudy

Rainy weather steering E.S.E employed doing petty jobs saw two porpoises saw a sail so ends this day

Friday 24th Lat 36°26 Long 75°26

Pleasant weather steering E.S.E employed painting iron work at 9 P.M took in all sail but close reefed main & fore top sail so ends this twenty four hours

Ft Pickawillany Thursday 1857

Saturday 25th Sat. Cloudy Ther. 73 at 6 Much
foggy weather made sail at 3 A.M. and steered
E.S.E. till 6½ A.M. hauled aback main yard in the fog
braced forward at 10 A.M. and set the fore gallant sail
and fly jib hauled aback again at 11½ A.M. and took
in the fly jib and fore gallant sail braced forward
again at 1 P.M. steered E.S.E. raised the land
at 5 P.M. tacked ship at 7 P.M. standing off the
wind to the westward so ends the day

Sunday 26th Sat. Foggy
Calm and foggy braced round the yards
at 7 P.M. brought up in the night hauled
aback the fore yard at 11½ P.M. so ends the day

Monday 27th Lat. 36 41.
Cloudy weather with a pleasant breeze steering
E.S.E. bent the cables on to the anchors this
morning and painted buckets and spare poles
saw 3 sails this morning at 1 P.M. saw
an Iron bound in the night so ends the day

Tuesday 28th Lat. of Ft Pickawillany
Squally weather steering E.S.E. raised
the land at 10½ A.M. saw a school of sulphur
bellies and 6 sail reefed top sails at night
and stood off and on shortened sail in the
night so ends the day

Wednesday 29th. Lat. in Ft Pickawillany harbor
Clear weather unbent sails this morning
and stood into the bay came to an anchor
at 10 A.M. furled the sails and washed
ship about 30 rescued at anchor in the bay

Thursday 30th

[illegible] Constellation Curlew Enterprise Ch[illegible] Jane Fox
[illegible] Rogers Swift Mary [illegible]
[illegible] Co. Pickett Robt Edwards [illegible]
[illegible] Young Hero James [illegible]

Bark. Sea Queen. S. W. Stpt 1857

Friday 31st at anchor in Mahina Bay

Rainy weather employ rafting water along
side through the night— the Ohio and Courier came
together, carried away the Courier's flying jibboom and
the Courier's spanker boom Galena and Maria
both East and anchor heard of a merchant ship
going in Dominicks Bay cut away her masts
wind light at 8 P.M. Cleared up starry
so ends this day — — —

Saturday April 1st 1857

Pleasant weather took off 11 pipes of water and
stowed it down hoisted the sails and [illegible]
painted the ship outside Bark Maria
arrived this evening. So ends this day —

Sunday 2d

Pleasant weather Starboard watch ashore
on liberty took a raft ashore at 11½ P.M.
rainy through the night— Bark Statira
came to and anchor this evening —

Monday 3d

Stormy day and rainy weather Starboard
watch ashore on liberty— Starboard watch
filling tank. So ends the day —

Tuesday 4th

Rainy weather took in 9 pipes of
water Bark Alpha Maria came to and left
this day. Starboard watch ashore on liberty

Wednesday 5th

Pleasant weather Larboard watch ashore
on liberty So ends this day —

Thursday 6th

Pleasant weather Starboard watch ashore
on liberty— So ends this day

Friday 7th

Pleasant weather Larboard watch ashore
on liberty— Ship Alfred Gibbs came to and anchor

Saturday 8th Pleasant weather Starboard watch

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Sunday 9th

Pleasant weather Eastward watch ashore on
limits so ends this twenty four hours

Monday 10th

Pleasant weather Natural water where we like
Sent of two Lyn hens doing Equivalent the Sun

Tuesday 11th took off 5 pipes of water

Pleasant weather employed breaking
out oil between decks and stowing away

Wednesday 12th took aboard 6 bbls potatoes

Pleasant weather Eastward watch ashore
on liberty sent 100 bbls of oil aboard
the Dark Appolia Louisa of Nantucket

Thursday 13th

Pleasant weather employed stowing away
Casks and ends this day

Friday 14th

Pleasant weather employed breaking out oil
sent 120 bbls of oil aboard the Alfred Gibbs

Saturday 15th

Pleasant weather Natural water ashore
on liberty took aboard 25 bbls potatoes

Sunday 16th

Strong breze from the Eastward with rain
at 9 PM the second mate Starboard watch
ashore on account of bad weather sent

Monday 17th

Foggy weather at noon Sounded and Hove
plum the Natural Tides Eastward water
Ashore on liberty at ends this day

Tuesday 18th

Pleasant weather took took 40 bbls of
flour and 40 bbls beef and 25 bbls potatoes
with 21 Casks and went ashore and stopped all night
leaving P.M.

Wednesday 19th

Pleasant weather light breze from the
Eastward hoisted out the boats at 12 1/2 PM
got in sight enough to see with the Glass and

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Thursday 20th

Clouds weather steering N.W. & W. saw quarter
a great many Humpbacks & sail of each

Friday 21st Lat 35°-0-1

Cloudy we the steering N.W. & W. p[illegible]
Humpbacks in sight. so ends this day

Lat 33°-44

Saturday 22nd Pleasant weather steering N.W. & W.
sailed two years saw a school of Hackfish

Sunday 23rd Lat 32°-08

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
making N.W. & W. so ends this day

Monday 24 Lat 30°-01

Pleasant weather stiff breeze from the South
steering N.W. made some sweep brooms

Tuesday 25th Lat 28°-18

Pleasant wea[illegible] N.W.
nothing in sight so ends

Wednesday 26th Lat St Felix

[illegible] Stiff breeze and pleasant weather
Then steering N.W. & W. passed St. Felix at 12 M

Thursday 27th Lat 23°-08

Cloudy steering N.W. & W. nothing in sight
so ends this day

Friday 28th

Stiff breezes steering N by E
[illegible] in sight [illegible] ends

Lat 20-04 S Long

Sat 29

Stiff breezes steering to the
[illegible] in sight employed
during nothing [illegible] 17-24

Sun 30 light winds and pleasant
steering N by E saw some Black
lowered a Boat to pick up a
drowned Man Lat 15-19 S Long

Mon. day 1st — 1½-4 May
Shows Longs Station
N-N-W under Short Sail
saw a Ship steering to the N.E
took the Boat down off of the Skids
and repaird her so ends this day
Lat 13-48 Si Long

Tues 2 light winds and pleasant
weather steering S.W. took down
the fore topsail and repaired and
and bent it again saw a large
ship steering the wind to
the South so ends this day

Wednesday light winds and pleasant
weather steering S.W. by W.
took down the fore and main
top gallant sails and repaird
and bent them again so ends

Thursday 4th Lat 11-25
Pleasant weather steering S.W. by W plenty
of black fish in sight so ends this day

Friday 5th Lat 9-21
Pleasant weather steering W.S.W. Spoke
with a Bil of oil soap Killed

Saturd, 6th Lat 9-04
Pleasant weather steering W.S.W.
Ship George & Susan of New B

Sunday 7th
Pleasant weather with the George & Susan
in sight supposed to be bound on the
coast of Africa in the night

Monday 8th
Pleasant weather saw a sail ahead
steering the same course we did got into
the Latitude of 3° N. Captain Hero
died with the Yellow Fever at 2 P.M. and
was committed to the deep at

Bark Sea Queen Sept 1854

Tuesday 9th Bound to Trinity

Pleasant weather laying off and on
Payta Head & 2 pipes of land
Signal for Sophia. Comes at 1 pm
Ships Comus Hero. Gorge & Susan and
Bark Sea Queen laying off and on
Captain came aboard at 3 o'clock
and we started for Trinity in
Company with the Ships Hero
Captain Hall Knowles jammed with us

Wednesday 10th

Pleasant weather steering down
with the land came to the wind
at 7 P.M. with the mainyard aback
to the westward in sight of the
anchorage for orders this day at
Sent boarding up the cable and
getting Pilot ready for the har-

Thursday 11th

Pleasant weather steering in to
anchorage in Company with the Comus
of New Bedford came to anchor
at 10 A.M. Gorge Hero anchored at 2 P.M.
Ships Comus Gorge Hero and Sea Queen
at moorings carried 3 pipes ashore and
filled and received them off again
Captain and crew and a load of shore all night-

Friday 12th

Pleasant this morning had some rain
last night stowed down the water and
took in some wood and ends Friday

Saturday 13th

Employed boating of wood took
aboard two Cranes and some ends
Ships Comus & Gorge Hero sailed ends

Sunday 14th

Pleasant weather all hands went
on shore and had a good time

Cruising for Sperm Whales

Monday 15th May

Pleasant weather took of 2 boat and of wood and a steering sail boom put the waiste boat on the cranic and put the old one overhead got under weigh at 6 P. M steering by the wind heading S.W. & W. so ends this day

Tuesday 16th "

Pleasant weather with a strong breeze steering by the wind to the Westward saw the anchor to the bow so ends this day

Wednesday 17th "

Pleasant weather steering W.S.W employed making scrub brooms saw some black fish

Thursday 18th "

Pleasant weather and light winds steering W.S.W employed making scrub brooms

Friday 19th "

Cloudy weather steering by the wind to the westward saw a whales carcass more ship at 7 P. M heading Sea

Saturday 20th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward saw a whales carcass scraped down the topmasts so ends

Sunday 21st "

Light-wind and pleasant-weather steering N.W by W saw finbacks and a very large school of porpisses came to the windward right astern repaired the spare boat

Monday 22nd "

Pleasant-weather and light winds steering N. by E painted the spare boat

Tuesday 23d "

Pleasant-weather steering N at 1 P.M sighted Hogs Island on our starboard bow laughed for it so ends

Bark Sea Queen 1854

Wednesday 24th May
Hoods Island Light winds and pleasant weather
steering by the wind to the eastward
Hoods Island in sight

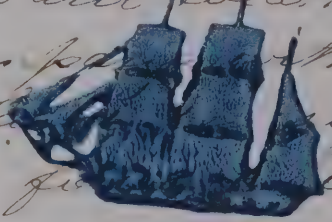
Thursday 25th Light winds and pleasant
Hoods I saw the land all day to the leeward
Main set heading in to the East

Friday 26th
Light wind steering by the wind
to the eastward sail in sight to
windward Hoods I in sight Cayed
a back all night so ends this day

Saturday 27th
Hoods I
Pleasant weather steering by the
wind to the eastward gammed with
Chatham I ofa Comores de Juan Lez
gave chase dog she lost a bitter over
the night so ends the 27th this day

Sunday 28th
Hoods I
Chatham I Pleasant weather steering to the
eastward Sophia Comores in sight
steering gammed with Bark
so ends this day

Monday 29th lowered for a sword fish
Chatham I Pleasant weather steering N.E.
in company with the Eugenia Chath
saw Pole light to windward
braced for it at 11 P.M. steering N.E. by N.



Tuesday 30th
Pleasant weather steering W.N.W. N.W.
Abbington in company with Bark Eugenia sent
Towers 2 boats ashore at Abington Island
Bintons to get some turpin but could not
and find any caught some fish and
Abermarle came to and layed a back Port
in sight the night and tacked about
the rest seas to keep to windward of the Island

Galapagoes Islands 1854

Wednesday 31st June

Pleasant weather tacking about off Albing-
ton & waiting for the Eugenias boats to come
off gammed with the Eugenia one boat came
off but the other did not come at 6 P.M.
kept off steering W.b.N. bound for Tee Bay
saw a Bark yesterday off Dowers Island
left the Eugenia to get her boat supposed
to have met with some accident sounds

Thursday 1st July 1854

Rocunda rock Light wind and pleasant weather
steering to the westward gammed
with the Eugenia
and Packet of New Bed

Bound off shore

Friday 2nd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
both tacks gaining with the Eugenia
saw some Cars and some boat boun-
ded ship at night steering by the wind
to the westward bound off shore

Saturday 3rd

Strong breeze steering by the wind to
westward shipped a sea at 8 oclock

Sunday 4th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
to the S.W. saw Sin backs seenes the day

Monday 5th Lat 2°.37 Sa.th

Strong breeze steering by the wind to
the westward heading S.S.W took in
the fly jib repaired and sent it aft

Tuesday 6th Lat 1°.20 Long 100°.04

Strong breeze steering by the wind
to the westward saw a bark to windward
reefed topsails at night saw Sin backs

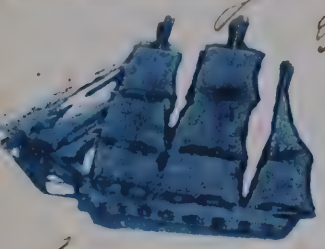
Wednesday 7th Lat

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
to the eastward saw a sail to windward

Bark Sea Queen

June

Thursday 8th



Pleasant weather steering S.W. sent down the main topsail and repaired and bent it again spoke the Bark Clarice from New Bedford sailed this day Lat 5° 16 Long 100° 28 West

Friday 9th

Pleasant weather steering S.W. saw a merchant ship and schooner sailed

Saturday 10th

Lat

Pleasant weather steering S.W. sent down the main sail repaired and bent it

Saturday 11th

med with ship Couries from Bedford sailed this day

Long 100° 40

Pleasant weather steering West ship Couries and Bark Clarice in sight saw a sulpher bottom

Monday 13th

Pleasant weather steering W.S.W. saw the Couries layed aback all night

westwards sailed

Long 102° 24 West

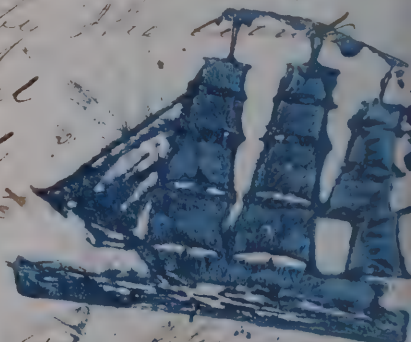
Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the Southward saw ship Couries in sight

Tuesday 14th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the Southward gammed with the Champion and ship George & Susan sailed

Lat 3° 24 South Long 103° 40 West

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward gammed with the Champion and George and Susan sailed



Thursday 15th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward struck a porpis but did not save him sailed this day

Friday 16th

Pleasant weather steered ship at [illegible] steering by the wind [illegible]

Bounds to the Galapagos Islands

Saturday 17th June

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward saw porpuses

Sunday 18th Lat 0°19 Long 99°03

Pleasant weather steering by the wind standing E. N. E saw porpuses & birds this day

Monday 19th Long 99°03 Lat 0°19 North

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastwards & ends this day

Tuesday 20th Lat 29 North

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward raised whales at 8 A.M. our tea beam lowered and Mr. Lowe caught a small whale the waiste boat fastened and help turn him up to the ships side at 4 P.M the whales went out of sight to westwards & ends this day

32 saw

Wednesday 21st Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks cut in the whale and started the works at 10 A.M. & ends

Thursday 22nd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward finished boiling at 7 A.M and washed off rolled away 32 bbls

Friday 23rd Lat 1°02 North

Pleasant weather steering East struck a purpoise but did not save him & ends

Saturday 24th Lat 0°00 North Long 96°47

Pleasant weathers steering & broke out for butter wales and bungs & ends this day

Sunday 25th Long 95°25

Pleasant were steering by the wind heading East sung out for breaches we then were running tacked ship and stood to the northward till 8 A.M and tacked backs again saw a purpoise & ship to leward standing to westward

Barque Sea Queen of Westport 1854

Monday 26th June Lat 1.23 North

Pleasant weather steering E.S.E saw a school of diamond fish broke out [illegible]

Tuesday 27th Off Amboina ... North head

Pleasant weather steering E.S.E ... Islands of Amboina and Alfuren[illegible] and Rodunda took takeled off at sun down tacked twice in the night

Wednesday 28th Lat 6.7 North

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks off North head

Thursday 29th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind on both tacks till 3 P.M. tacked ... off and gammed with the ... up Potomac passed us at 3 P.M steering N.E

Friday 30th

Pleasant weather hauled aback at 4 this morning and laged till daylight ... and all night ... Potomac ...

Saturday July 1st 1854

Pleasant weather ... gaming with the Potomac Dark Cape ... Dark Prevailed ... layed aback all night ... Amboina

Pleasant weather steering ... spoke the President ... and Dark Cape ... night gamming layed aback all night

Monday 3rd

Pleasant weather gaming with the President Dark Cape steering for the ... layed aback all night saw ... diamond fish jumpers ... black fish Albacore ... jacko ... fly fish and speaded ...

Cruising off the Galapagos

Thursday 5th July

Pleasant weather steering various parts the sea for whales gammed with the Franklin laid a back till midnight so ends

Lat 1°36 North

Cloudy weather steering N till 12 h then luffed steering by the wind raised Bulpejero at 2 P.M. ahead Franklin & Sea Fox in sight to leeward tacked 3 or 4 times through the night so ends this day

Friday 6th

Pleasant weather steering for Bulpejero lowered 2 boats and went them fishing took nothing in sight the ships came to boats got to fishing the raised whales round the ship set a signal for us the Franklin got the first one we lowered the boats and got one small whale at 1 P.M. we lowered after the whale went to windward & we could not get near them Come aboard and stood along to the East. At 4 raised them again at 5 o'clock in our weathers boats lowered and Mr Coffin caught one took him alongside at 7 o'clock stood to the eastward till midnight we caught a turtle. So ends this day

Saturday 7th

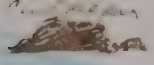
Pleasant weather raised whales this morning at 6 o'clock lowered and chased & killed one Mr Coffin came aboard and cut in the whale started the works at 3 P.M. raised whales again at 4 P.M. lowered & killed one Mr Coffin came aboard and cut in the whale so ends this twenty four hours

Bark Rea Queen 1841

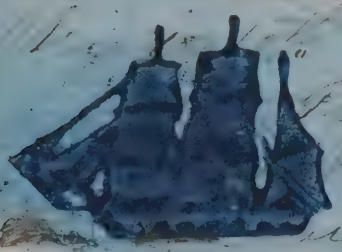
Saturday 8th July

Pleasant weather steering to the N.E. to the westward finished taying A. & P. & rolled away 32 bbls Culpepers in sight washed the ship off and unbent sails at 5 P.M. ends

Sunday 9th



Cloudy weather steering by the wind to the eastward Hummocks and Culpepers in sight saw a sail one on each bow



Pleasant weather steering by the wind N.E. saw Hummocks of our lee beam saw South head and Abbington Island Bill being a very clear day. gammed with the Bark Corinthian of Bedford bound off for Culpeper this P.M. laughed to the wind to the eastward at 6 P.M.

Monday 11th

Pleasant weather steering to the westward till sundown gammed with the Harmony & Star for Peru onboard the Pan Ima of Newbedford steered by the wind to the eastward till 12 and then kept off N.E. saw Culpepers and Hummocks ends

Tuesday 12th Lat 1.30 N

Strong breeze and Cloudy weather steering E.b.N saw a sail this morning off our weather beam so ends this day

Wednesday 13th

Strong breeze with rain squalls this A.M. Ship at 1 P.M. steering by the wind to the westward saw a sail to leeward washed the masts ends this day

Thursday 14th Lat 0.25 — Long

Strong breeze steering by the wind to the westward hove to on the tack to the eastward

Cruising for Whales 1845-6

Saturday 15th " Lat 1.45 South
Strong breeze steering by the wind
to the Eastward parted the main stay
and put in some nuisance for repairs

Sunday 16th " Lat 1.35 South
Pleasant steering by the wind to the
eastward saw a large school of fin backs

Monday 17th " Lat 1.40 North
Strong breeze steering by the wind
to the eastward so ends this day

Tuesday 18th " Lat 1.20 North
Strong breeze steering by the wind to
the eastward had some rain through
the night made some sweep from staff

Wednesday 19th "
Cloudy weather tacked ship this
morning steering by the wind to the
W. So ends this twenty four hours

Thursday 20th " Long 86.55
Cloudy weather steering by the wind
on the tack so ends this day

Friday 21st " Lat .30 South
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
tacked ship 5 or 6 times strong breezes

Saturday 22nd "
Cloudy weather steering by the wind
tacked this morning to the westward
saw Chatham raised Chatham Island this morning
tacked at 2 P.M. to the eastward

Sunday 23d "
Cloudy weather steering by the wind
to the westward saw Chatham and
Hood Island tacked ship at midnight
close off all night so ends this day

Monday 24th "
Hood Pleasant weather steering by the wind
to the W. saw Hood Island in sight
to the Leward so ends this day

Bay of Sea Fanes 1854

Thursday 25th "

Fresh breezes steering by the wind on the tack steering to the eastward all night nothing in sight

Wednesday 26th " Lat 1°23 South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward nothing in sight

Thursday 27th " Long 87°32

Light wind steering by the wind to the eastward lowered the waist boat this morning and scraped the slime off the the ships bottom saw porpoises tacked ship at sun down to the S.W. 9 seconds this day

Friday 28th " Lowered the boat for black fish

Pleasant weather nearly calm steering by the wind to the eastward 9 seconds

Saturday 29th " Lat 1°04 South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward tacked ship at 8 A.M. spoke the ships Pantidas of Nantucket cutting in a large whale tacked ship twice through the day saw black fish foggy through the night seconds Sunday

Sunday 30th "

Pleasant weather steering by the winds heading E.b.N. nothing in sight

Monday 31st " Lat 1°17 Long 85°30

Pleasant rainy this morning took in the N.E. fly jib and repaired it mended jib

Tuesday August 1st 1854

Pleasant weather steering N.E. saw fin backs this A.M. hauled to the wind at sunset to the eastward

Wednesday 2nd " Lat 13 Long 83°47

Pleasant weather steering N.W. till 10 raised a Humpback on the lee gunwale was ship steering N.E. was in sight all day

Cruising for Sperm Whales

Thursday 3d Lat. 28 S Lon.

Pleasant most of the day had some rain this morning saw a ship this morning steering N W. till 11 A. M. this ship hauled off S W. hoisted to the wind at sunset to the westward with the light sail in and courses hauled up steering [illegible] to the night so ends the day

Friday 4th "

Strong breeze and rainy stormy by the wind steering W. N. W. saw six sail sail. reefed the topsails at sundown wind

Saturday 5th Long 86 10

Cloudy weather steering by the wind heading W. S W. set a piece in to the head of the fore topsail where it was rotten about the reef out of the topsails

Sunday 6th "

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward saw a fin back this morning and some porpoises

Monday 7th " Lat 4 S Long 89 19

Cloudy weather steering by the wind to the W. SW employed sweeping decks and Stowing down found a cask with 3 bbls leaked out saw Abingdon Islands abroad at 5 P.M. plenty of fin backs in sight so ends the day

Tuesday 8th "

Pleasant weather layed a south half the night employed steering down finished at 11 and scrubbed ship all over hove ship at 6 P.M steering by the wind to the E.b.S saw Abingdon Islands bore N.W. by W. saw a Porpoise fin back some rain through the night

Wednesday 9th

Bark Rea Alice August 1854

Wednesday 9th

Pleasant weather light wind steering by the wind on both tacks Flemmans island in sight and Culpper to leward stood to the eastward all night

Thursday 10th

Began with foggy weather and light wind steering by the wind to the eastward most of the day Flemens island in sight at 8 A.M. weather grows pleasant P.M employed mending the sails so ends this day

Friday 11th

Pleasant and foggy with light winds steering by the wind on both tacks Flemens in sight to the N.W of us saw a sword fish so ends this day

Saturday 12th

Cloudy weather and calm jammed with the Rocka New Bedford saw North head and Anastasia on the weathers bow heading E.b.S

Sunday 13th Long 72.12 Lat 38 North

Calm and foggy weather Bark Rocka in sight all day so ends this

Monday 14th Lat 37 North

Calm all day employed painting the iron work Bark Rocka in sight a large merchantship passed us in the night steering to the N.W & sends

Tuesday 15th

Pleasant weather light wind steering by the wind to the Eastward saw ship this morning to leward North head in sight at the lee bow saw all the land

Wednesday 16th Lat 40.2 North

Light winds laying off and on at Anastasia jammed with the Morning Star saw a Bark to leward plenty of fish hooks around

Cruising off the Galapagos Islands

Thursday 17th

Light winds and pleasant weather steering off and on at Anarbora gammed with the Morning Star Mary Francis and Mermon hundreds of fin backs in sight all day so ends

Friday 18th

Pleasant weather steering off and on at Anarbora the Mermon Morning Star and Mary Francis in sight the Morning Star picked up seven convicts that runaway from Charles island on a boats made of the skins and ribs of cattle had been from there twelve days. divided them among the four ships hundreds of fin backs in sight all day so ends

Saturday 19th

Pleasant weather steering off and on at Anarbora at 2 P.M. sent one boat in fishing caught about one dozen. the Morning Star had two boats in Ship Mermon in sight fin backs and black fish in sight so ends stood off all night with the courses up so ends this twenty four hours

Sunday 20th

Light wind steering in for Anarbora gammed with the Mermon of Nantucket so ends

Monday 21st

Light wind run down to Hood island sent a boat in at 4 P.M. and caught 63 cod fish kept off steering E. & E. saw the Mary Francis Morning Star and the Mermon lowered a boats this morning and parapled the ships bottom the ships in sight and plenty of fin backs so ends this twenty four hours

Bark Sea Queen 1854

August

Tuesday 22nd Light winds and pleasant weather steering East Abingdon island ahead Bark Morning Star and North headlands

Wednesday 23d Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward Robinson and Dinlows islands in sight Morning Star off our weather beam string breeze through the night

Thursday 24th Strong breze steering by the wind to the eastward Morning Star in sight on the weather beam

Friday 25th Cloudy weather and string breeze steering by the wind to the eastwards the Morning Star off our weather bow

Saturday 26th Cloudy weather steering by the wind to the E. & E. jammed with the Bark Morning Star this P.M all sail set

Sunday 27th Light winds steering by the wind to the Eastward the Morning Star in sight on our weather bow

Monday 28th Lat N. Lon. 83.

Fine weather saw the Morning Star raised whales at 8 A.M. she was 2 miles from us chased with her lowered our boats and chased till 9 P.M. when Coffin caught one & then alongside at 3 o'clock one of the Morning Star boats passed to us the Bark and three boats lowered to windward after whales but did not catch any or

Cruising for Whales 1854

Tuesday 29th September

Light wind and pleasant weather employed cutting out and boiling the remainder of the whale. Latter part light winds and calms

15

Wednesday 30th

Pleasant weather steering to the eastward the Morning Star cruised about 8 miles to windward of us lowered our boats and let the works cool down chased them from 10 till 2 the Morning Star had taken one the rest went to windward out of sight finished boiling at 12 this night reefed the topsails and had plenty of rain in the first watch parted away 45 bbls from the cooler as ends this day

Thursday 31st Lat 1.27 South

Strong breezes steering by the wind to the eastward hauled off and got all through at 11 A M the Morning Star off the lee bow 5 miles off boiling out whales

Friday 1st Lat 1.54 Long. 84.24

Strong breezes more calm at 1 P. M steering by the wind to the eastward reefed topsails and furled the mainsail the Morning Star in sight to leeward boiling as ends this day made him 39 bbls

Saturday 2

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward all sail set gammed with the Morning Star hunted Company with her at 8 this evening took in the light sail and hauled up the courses more calm steering by the wind to the eastward steering this twenty four hours

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Tuesday 3rd September Lat. 11.11 South

light winds and pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward nothing in sight saw nothing this day

Wednesday 4th Lat 11.01 South

Foggy weather steering by the wind to the westward and employed at 8 A.M. what came up a thick fog and we all manning them with the ship hove to and chased them about one hour came aboard and saw whales off the lee bow lowered at 11½ A.M. and the Smith got one the rest went out of sight quick took him to leeward alongside and cut him in lashed everything solid and turned in

Thursday 5th Lat 15-8 South

Cloudy weather employed boiling out started the works at 4 A.M. in the Bark morning Star in sight to windward reefed the topsails so ends this day

Wednesday 6th Lat 25 South Long. 84.59

Cloudy weather steering to the westward finished boiling at 4 A.M. rolled away 27 bbls scraped it and washed off and made sail saw spouts to leeward run off and hove aback one hour but did not see it again all sail set so ends

Thursday 7th

Cloudy weather steering to the westward saw whales at dark going slow to leeward more ship and hunted about till 12 then more ship and hunted on the other tack till morning so ends

Friday 8th

Cloudy weather raised a large whale to lee bow of us lowered and he went to windward morning Star to windward united with

Friday

Receiving for 1 pipe 2 tubes
Lat 20° 12' Long 84° 40'
ner. The large whale went into the water for a pipe of tobacco and the Morning Star went for two small calf whales got them alongside at 4 P.M. got ready to cut them in and turned in this Jasper fastened to our boat

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Saturday 9th

Cloudy weather employed cutting and boiling started the works at 11 A.M. Burnt Morning Star in sight saw Breaches 5 or 6 times through the day but could not make a run with them so ended

Sunday 10th

Fair weather steering to the wind to the eastward finished boiling at 8 A.M. rolled away about 28 bbls got through scraping and washing off at 12 A.M. cruised with the Morning Star her two whales made 7½ bbls each

Monday 11th

Foggy weather steering to the eastward cruised with the Morning Star took two casks from her keyed aback all night so ends this 24 hours

Lat 1° 37'

Tuesday 12th

Pleasant weather tacked ship this morning to the eastward saw the Morning Star in sight this morning

Wednesday 13th

Cloudy weather tacked ship this morning at 2 o'clock to the westward took in the fore jib and hauled aback cruised them in and let them again so ends this twenty fours

Ship Lion of Fyfield 1854

Thursday 14th Lat 1.19 September
Cloudy weather tacked ship
at 9 A.M. saw a dead whale
lowered a boat and went to them
but he had turned and was spoilt
steering to the westward
Friday 15th Lat 1.43
Cloudy weather wore ship this morning
at 10 A.M. the wind Variable N.E.
Gammed with the Barque of New Bedford
wore ship at 1 steering by the wind
to the eastward wore again
at 8 P.M. steering by the wind to
the westward saw no whales this day
Saturday 16th Lat 1.26 Long. 83.47
Cloudy weather steering by the
wind to the westward saw some
Buck fish no whales this day
Sunday 17th
Light winds and pleasant weather steering
by the wind to the westward at this
time in sight no whales this day
Monday 18th Lat 1.29
Cloudy weather steering by the
wind to the westward all hands
employed coopering &c saw in
sight Hoods Island coopering at 4 P.M. saw
Tuesday 19th Lat 1.30
Cloudy weather steering by the
wind to the westward Hoods Island bore
Hoods N.E. by E. 2 P.M. saw many whales
at 2 P.M. hove to for the night
all hands employed stowing down
Hoods Islands wore ship at 6 P.M. and stood
by the wind to the westward all night saw no
Wednesday 20th scrubbed ship this morning
Hoods Cloudy weather steering by the wind
to the westward Hoods Island N.E. by E.
Hoods Islands in sight Lat 1.30 at 6 P.M. to the eastward

Thursday 21st September

light winds and pleasant weather
steering by the wind to the eastward at 4 PM
Hauled in sight saw fin backs &c
Lat 41°26 North

Friday 22nd

light wind cloudy this morning with [illegible]
[illegible] the rest of the day sent down
and repaired the fore topsails wore ship
at 10 A M to the westward wore again
at 2 P M to the eastward at 4 P M sent
the fore topsail up ends this day

Saturday 23rd Lat 41°52 Long 89°03

Pleasant weather hooked at 7 A M to the
westward took down the foresail and repaired
it saw sin backs at day some rain in the night

Sunday 24th

Calm weather hooked this morning at 2
to the eastward and at 6 to the westward
Lat 42°25

Calm this morning employed in the
rest of the day steering by the wind
to the eastward hooked this morning
sent down the mainsail and the
fore de jallantsail ripped it to peices
& sheath the mainsail employed
repairing the mainsail so ends

Tuesday 26th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
to the eastward finished the mainsail
and bent it this A M employed in
the works painted the lastoverstrand
and bent a new fore de jallantsail
saw sin and porpoises in the night

Wednesday 27th

Calm weather steering by the wind
to the eastward employed making Onion
nets and setting up shrouds Lat 42°11

Duke Island 1854

Sunday 28th at 2 30 A.M. Smiths
First part cloudy and wet latter part
pleasant steering by the wind to
the eastward employed setting up
casks took the sail out of the sail
room and put them into pipes found some
of them wet and others in some pieces
so ends this day Long 86 09

Monday 29th Lat 2 26
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
employed setting up pipes strong breeze
through the night so ends this day

Tuesday 30th Lat 2 40 Long 84 57
Cloudy weather tacked ship at 2h this morning
steering by the wind to the westward employed
setting up pipes more ship at 4h P.M. steering
by the wind to the eastwards finished the pipes
filling casks in sight all day so ends the day

Sunday October 1st 1854
Pleasant weather steering by the wind
to the eastward fill casks in sight so ends

Monday 2nd Lat 2 54 Long 83 00
Cloudy weather steering E & E broke
out the flour and took it out of the
pipes and stowed down in the steerage
and got the pipes ready for water
fill casks and black fish in sight

Tuesday 3rd Lat 3 33
Strong breeze and cloudy weather
steering E & E at 12 saw the land
kept off E. & S. run till dark come
to with the main yard stack to the
S & E more ship at 10 calm through the
night and handy stowed up steering
employed all night Thumpkins
in sight all day so ends this day

At Anchor in Fanning's Bay

Wednesday 4th

Pleasant weather nearly calm within 4 miles off the anchorage at daylight came to anchor at 10½ A.M. sent 2 pipes ashore for water and took off 2 boat loads of wood Bark Norman Morton in Bay to Clarence Island ship Galena laying at anchor Bark Catalpa and A. & R. Tucker sailed this day unmooring in the evening

Thursday 5th

Pleasant weather went ashore this morning filled the cask and hoed it down to the point came aboard and took breakfast went ashore and got a boat load of wood dinner went ashore and got the cask and hoisted it in rolled the flour out of the steerage and put it in the house Captain and his wife and child came with me and staid till night. Discovered the Fast Mail steamer this evening four hours

Friday 6th

Pleasant weather employed cutting wood and stowing it under the

Saturday 7th

Pleasant weather carried down 4 jars of water employed painting and getting off wood Bark Catalpa unmoored this P.M. cut up 11 cord of wood came to day at Bark Wm. Nelson in sight

Sunday 8th

All hands went ashore on the point and had a time washing Star went out Ship Richard Mitchell and Constitution of Nantucket and the Bark Catalpa of New Bedford and Clifford Hayes of Fair Haven sailed this Day

Sierra Sea Queen at Anchor 1854

Monday 9th Settled
Pleasant weather employed getting
off wood went ashore and filled the
raft took aboard 77 bbls potatoes some
pumpkins &c Balena and Postman
Bragdon sailed to day so ends this day

Tuesday 10th
Pleasant weather took aboard the
rest this morning done a little
painting to day the day took aboard
60 pumpkins and other things Bark
Peru came in to day so ends this day

11th Bark Catalpa sailed

Wednesday 11
Pleasant weather painted the larboard
boat and the ships bends so ends this day

Thursday 12th took aboard 4 hogs and some chickens
so ends this twenty four hours

Sierra Sea Queen

Friday 13th
Cloudy painted the waiste boat went
up to Tombes and towed down 3 spars
stowed them some water got the boat
painted moored off &c so ends this day

Friday 13th
Cloudy weather got underweigh at 10
A.M steering by the wind heading S.S.W
backed at 12 in shore of Clara in sight
tacked off at sundown so ends this day

Saturday 14th Cape Blanco in sight
Strong breezes steering by the wind on both
tacks tacked to the Southward & Eastward this
morning tacked off at 2 P.M tacked in at 4,
tacked off at 6 in the evening so ends this day
reefed the topsails at 7 P.M and hauled
up the mainsail so ends this twenty four

Monday 15th
Pleasant weather strong breeze steering by
the wind to the westward great swell
running saw sail in sight so ends this day

Cruising in the Gulf of Mexico

Monday 16th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward & took the Pilot boat in and unrailed her & put sumpsticks & ends to her

Tuesday 17th

Lat 5.35 N

Strong breeze steering West & W.S.W. hove to at 4 P.M. steering by the wind to the eastward unrigged up all day & the rest of the officers painted the boat & carpenters & sailmakers making sumpsticks & jumpers & ends this twenty four hours

Wednesday 18th

Lat 4.50

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward unrailed up jumpsticks

Thursday 19th

Lat 4.54

Fine pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward strong breeze through the night sumpsticks and Black fish in sight Luff in all said at sundown & at the topsails hauled aback at 4 this evening & ends this twenty-four hours

Friday 20th

Lat 4.57 South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward broke out fore & main sumpsticks and Black fish in sight Luff in all said at sundown & at the topsails hauled aback at 4 this evening & ends this twenty-four hours

Saturday 21st

Pleasant weather main yard aback till 2 P.M. and then came ship heading to the westward hove again at 4 steering by the wind to the eastward at 2 P.M. got into Pilot Captain and his wife went on shore boat came off at dark stood out of the bay hoisted the topsail hove it up & bibbs unrove ends this day

Sunday 22nd

Pleasant weather Laying off and on at Pilot Town Captain went out and the Pilot boat anchored at 4 PM Captains wife came aboard went on steering by the wind to the eastward saw the Bark in Tampa

Sunday 23rd

Pleasant weather steering W.S.W. running with the Bark Catalpa towed for two days struck the last one last but from again Captains child very sick insensible strong N the night layed with the fore yard aback. A right plenty of humpbacks in sight all day so ends this twenty four hours

Monday 24th Lat 41.26

Pleasant weather saw a large school of humpbacks this morning took them to be spermwhale lowered two boats had them down half an hour then took them up again spoke the Catalpa were ship. at 7 A.M. bound into port. if the child dont get any better before we get there reports calm all night were abeam at 12 in the night to the S.W. so ends this twenty four hours

Tuesday 25th Lat 41.57

Pleasant weather were ship at 12 M. to the humpbacks and fin backs in sight got into Pasta harbor at sundown dentons came ashore come off at 1 A.M. and out part of the night and then on again so ends this day

Wednesday 26th

Calm this morning lowered the boat about 10 miles from the town ship laying off and on all day Doctor came aboard and see the child about at dark so ends this day

Friday 27th

Pleasant weather laying off and on at Pasta came aboard at 1 P.M. and left steering S.W.b with a strong breeze tracked back in the bight waited and layed half the night so ends

Saturday 28th

Pleasant weather steering N.N.W. passed with the A.R. Tucker of Dartmouth clean humpback so ends this day

Sunday 29th Cruising for Whales 1854
Pleasant weather & Moderate
Light winds and pleasant Variable
Steering SW & S W cutting in sight
Shortened Sail and Lulled to the wind
at nine hours heading west & west
Lat 2-46 S Long 83-29 W

Mon 30 Light winds and pleasant steering west
saw some Grampuses and Porpoises
Shortened Sail at nine hours to and
Lat S Long 84-49 W

Tues 31 [illegible] to the wind
to the Westward [illegible]
to Sophia & spoke we got [illegible]
of Provisions & Water sent to her to
[illegible] last year and of the Bark
Andrews Lat 2-42 S Long W

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Wed Nov 1 S 1 — 1854
Light winds and
pleasant wicked ship this morning
steering by the wind to the East ward
saw the Sophia to windward this morning
steering to the South saw a sail
at three Bells four points off our lee
bow stood off for it but could see
no more of it kept to the wind
& gave Chase shortened Sail at noon
down to reefs
Lat 2.56 S Long W

Thursday 2nd
Pleasant weather steering West nothing in sight
kept to the wind at sundown saw this
day

Barque Sea Queen 1854

November

Friday 3rd

Pleasant weather we ship this morning steering by the wind to the eastward saw a ship to the westward at 6 P.M. Set Sail set the fore sail and shortened sail at noon this day

Saturday 4th Long 89.36 Lat 2.58

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward saw two sail sundry times this day

Sunday 5th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward saw a Bark standing to the westward joined with the fleet at 4 P.M. Saw ships from Ports you left on the 2d inst

Long 86.40

Monday 6th Pleasant weather steering N.E. saw six sail hove to fired a gun to the windward at noon

Tuesday 7th Pleasant weather steering N.E. at 1 P.M. Bark A.R. Tucker passed to windward of us hoisted Signal at noon set

Lat 5.5 South

Wednesday 8th Pleasant weather steering N.E. passed with the A.R. Tucker saw a black fish and porpoises & a sun fish

Lat 3.4 south

Thursday 9th Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward wore ship to the eastward at 6 P.M. Set sails this twenty four hours

Friday 10th Cloudy weather wore ship this morning steering by the wind to the westward nothing in sight set sails this day

Saturday 11th Long 87.08

Pleasant weather steering N.E. in company through the night set sails this twenty four hours

Lat 1.14

Division of Rhode Island 1854

November

Sunday 12th

Pleasant weather steering E.N.E. 1 P more ship at 2 this morning to the eastward wore ship at 4 P.M. to the westward Lat 41.10 Lon 55.17 W

Monday 13th

Pleasant weather steering S.E. raised Rhode Island at 11 A.M. raised Beavers at 12 on the larboard quarter hoisted our Pilot at 10 A.M. saw a ship standing at 3 P.M. rose whales spouting on our weather bow going to windward quick lashed our stern to the eastward whales in sight at sunset bearing 12 miles off on our weather bow steered to the eastward all night ship in sight at noon latter part supposed to be cutting 12 knots this day

Lat 2.12

Tuesday 14th

Rainy this morning tacked & steering by the wind to the eastward saw a ship this morning steering off S.W. cleared up about noon wore ship at 2 P.M. steering by the wind to the eastward Lon 55.32

Wednesday 15th

Pleasant weather hoisted up the spare spars up to the main mast steering N.E. by E. hoisted to the wind at 4 P.M. to the westward jammed with the Gorgeous Queen of New Bedford Rhode Island in sight wore ship at 6 steering by the wind to the eastward.

Thursday 16th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward wore this morning Rhodes in sight to the leeward ship in sight painted the spare main yard so ends this twenty four hours

Friday 17th

Pleasant weather steering S.S.E. Rhode Island Beavers & Gardeners Islands in sight come to the wind at 4 P.M. to the westward jammed with the main yard down to the westward ship Gorgeous in sight to the eastward of us so ends this twenty four hours

Lat 41.40 Lon 55.31 West

Bark Sea Queen 1854

Sat. 14th November

Pleasant weather light breeze steered forward this morning steering N.E.b.N at 12 saw Charles 3 points on the starboard bow 3 miles off going quick to windward tipped to the wind and lowered two boats chased them about two hours and lost sight of them came aboard and stood along by the wind to the eastward Charles and Gardeners islands in sight to the leeward passed another vessel at 12 steering ahead lowered at 3 P.M. all three got fast while hove to the vessel headed the starboard boat got them alongside at 4 P.M and kept heading off shore

Sunday 15th

Pleasant weather and calm had the three whales cut in at 1 P.M were ship steering to the eastward started the works at 4 P.M Charles island in sight bore S.E. by E.

Monday 16th

Pleasant weather employed boiling heavy S.E. to the eastward saw South head bore E.

Tuesday 21st

Pleasant weather employed boiling finished boiling at 6 P.M tobled away for the South head in sight layed with the main yard aback heading to the westward at 11 night bore E.S.E. this morning

Wednesday 22nd

Pleasant weather were ship this morning at daylight steering by the wind to the eastward got through passing off at 10 A.M at 11 spoke the Victor of New Bedford homeward with 120 at 1 P.M kept off S.E. by S. the high land 12 and braced forward and stood in for the South head in sight at 1.26

Thursday 24th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
SbE off and on at South Head joined
with the Hector & Gorge & Susan Capt
Black standing off & on all night all hands
employed fishing the main mast & under
twenty four hours Lat 1.93 South

Friday 25th

Pleasant weather steering off and on at Anarbra
Hector & Gorge & Susan in sight saw this day
finished working on the main mast three
Anarbra

Saturday 25th

Cloudy and thick all the day Hector & Gorge & Susan
manning out a boat aboard the Gorge & Susan
and put a Seine on board and a mess of fish
Anarbra & caught off shore all night drove the oil
after dinner so ends this twenty four hours

Sunday 26th

Pleasant weather steering off and on at
the bay nothing in sight saw this day

Monday 27th

Calm nearly all day put up another
spar side of the main mast steering NW
& through the night Radenda rock
in sight so ends this day

Tuesday 28th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind
E by S to the eastward & S E point of Atlenna
in sight to windward saw Abington island
Lat 1.05 Long 90.00

Wednesday 29th

Light this morning Pleasant weather steering
E by S the Gorge & Susan out of sight
Abington Abington in sight to windward saw nothing
Thursday 30th

Pleasant weather steering E by N Gorge & Susan
in sight employed knotting yarns
to make open yarn

Bark Sea Queen 1854

Friday 1st December.

Clouds weather steering E.S.E. & nothing in sight so ends this twenty four hours

Saturday 2nd

Strong breezes and rainy steering E.S.E nothing in sight Long 86.40 Lat 42.15 S

Sunday 3rd Lat 41 min.

Strong breezes and cloudy steering by the wind to the eastward nothing in sight so ends this twenty four hours

Long 83.33

Monday 4th

Strong breezes and cloudy steering by the wind to the eastward tacked to the westward at 6 P.M. at 9 hauled up the main sail so ends this day

Long 83.00

Tuesday 5th

Pleasant weather tacked ship this morning to the eastward employed making spun yarn so ends this day

Wednesday 6th

Cloudy tacked this morning to the westward at 1 P.M. tacked to the eastward finished making spun yarn

Thursday 7th.

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward tacked to the southward at 6 P.M. setting the jib and pinned it up at 12 went it again hauled aback and shaped the course of the ships bottom

Friday 8th

Pleasant weather at 4 P.M. tacked to the eastward sent down the main topsail studding sail pinned and bent it again broke out a pipe of flour so ends this day Lat 15 South 84.40

Saturday 9th Lat 11 S

Pleasant weather tacked to the westward at 2 this morning steering by the wind employed setting up the main rigging and

Cruising for Sperm Whales 1854

December

Tuesday 5th — Lat 48 South Long 85.20

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward at 8 A.M. then tacked to the eastward and hailed up the Courses Sail on the weather beam employed in various Manners in sight Seven ships Common two turned to Seven this day

Wednesday 6th — Lat 47.11

Pleasant weather saw this morning two ships at daylight steering by the wind to the eastward Many Prunes in sight Seven this day saw

Thursday 7th — Long 86.48

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward Many Prunes off the lee beam employed Coopering oil and stowing down Seven this day

Friday 8th — Lat 47.34 South

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward finished stowing down and washed off took 4 pipes of water on deck Seven this day

Saturday 9th

Pleasant weather tacked at daylight to the westward saw a sail under the weather quarter hailed for it tacked again at 8 A.M. saw nothing more we were at 9 A.M steering W.S.W & kept to the wind to the westward at sun set Seven

Sunday 10th

Pleasant weather steering W.N.W employed fixing Rigging and Sails in sight Seven this day

Monday 11th

Pleasant weather steering W.N.W employed setting up the forward Rigging raised whales at 3½ P.M breaching on our Starboard bow were at 4¼ come up with them about an hour the mate went on and fastened the after two boats fastened and the ship run down got him along side at dark and stowing in the night Long 88.24 Lat 1.50 S.

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Sunday 16th

Pleasant weather employed cutting off the wash in at 1 P.M. and started the fires raised steaches again at 1/2 P.M. 2 points on the weather bow covered at 3 P.M. and the waiste boat went on and fastened the other boat astern and help them up got them alongside at 4½ Long 88.33.20 558

Monday 18th

Pleasant weather employed cutting and boiling Cooled down to cut in to leeward began to cut it noon and finished about 5½ P.M. started the works again about 7 a.m. had water first water so ends this day

Tuesday 19th

Pleasant weather standing along by the wind to the eastward Station is land in sight to westward of us employed boiling reefed the fore topsail in the night

Wednesday 20th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward finished boiling at 1/2 P.M. got all through at 5 P.M. rolled away 101 tubs

Thursday 21st

Pleasant weather tacked ship to the westward at 9 A.M. sent down the cutting tackles and drove the oil secured this day Lat 42.4 Long 87.00

Thursday 22nd

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward nothing in sight

Friday 23d

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the westward Flores island in sight tacked to the eastward at 12 employed as upholsterer

Saturday 23th

Pleasant weather steering S.S.E. Cape to the wind at daybreak Flores

Cruising off Hogs island

Sunday 22d

Lee

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward tacked this morning to the west Chatham island and tacked again at 10 P.M. to the eastward Chatham island in sight to the N.W. saw a breach at 4 P.M one point on the lee bow sun set but saw nothing more to ends this day

Monday 23th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward nothing in sight killed a hog at 12 ends this twenty four hours

Long 86 W

Tuesday 26th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the eastward at 7 A.M tacked to the S.W employed setting up the fore rigging &c ends

Wednesday 27th

Light wind and Pleasant weather steering S.W sent down the main topsail repaired and sent it again put up a new main topmast back stay &c ends this twenty four hours

Thursday 28th

Light winds and pleasant tacked this morning steering by the wind to the eastward found the coast this morning and scraped the clams off the ships bottom

Lat 2d 14 Long 88° 5' 4

Friday 29th

Lat 2° 30 Long 90° 4

Pleasant weather steering by the wind tacked this morning to the westward employed reeving new running rigging and getting ready for rough weather

Bound to Jacmaree

Saturday 30th

Pleasant weather steering by the wind making S.W.b.S tack 3 ring bolts out of the deck and drove the oil &c ends this twenty four hours

Sunday 31st

Long 82 all Lat 4° 34

Pleasant weather steering by the wind making S.W.

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Monday 1st Lat. 9°.03 Long. 93°.04 Lat. 6°.38
Pleasant weather steering by the wind heading S.S.W. all hands employed tapering and stowing down oil this ends this day

Tuesday 2nd Lat. 7°.04 Long. 94°.04
Pleasant weather steering by the wind heading S.S.W finished stowing down and washed off got all through at noon put a fluke chain on the head of the main mast for a back stay so ends this twenty four hours

Wednesday 3rd Lat. 8°.48 Long. 95°.35
Pleasant weather steering by the wind heading S.S.W employed reeving running rigging

Thursday 4th Lat. 10°.10 Long. 97°.24
Pleasant weather steering by the wind heading S.S.W at 12 M. raised whales on the lee bow lowered the boats and the Captain fastened got him alongside at 3 and went after more chased till sundown stood along by the wind all night to the S.W so ends this day

Friday 5th Lat 10°.26 Long. 98°.30
Pleasant weather employed cutting and boiling started the works at 3 P.M steering by the wind heading S.S.W so ends this day

Saturday 6th Lat 11°.43 Long. 99°.58
Pleasant weather steering by the wind to the W.S.W finished boiling at 8 P.M and set the boats crew watches and set the main sail so ends this twenty four hours
Rolled down 5-5 Bbls from the works

Bound to Tahiti in 1835

January

Sunday 7th
Lat 13.54 Long 100.30
Strong breezes steering by the wind heading S.b.E took in the light-sail this morning and washed ship moderate towards night set all sail again heads

Monday 8th
Lat 16.12 Long 100.20
Strong breezes steering by the wind heading South West Lat this morning some squalls of rain this ends

Tuesday 9th
Lat " Long " "
Strong breezes heading South by the wind all sail set sent the new jib & fly jib & the top gallant sail set the sea watches sounds

Wednesday 10th
Lat 20.40 Long 101.35
Strong breezes & cloudy heading W.b.S by the wind all sail set had some rain in the P.M.

Thursday 11th
Lat 23.03 Long 101.34
Pleasant weather heading W.N.W & by the wind all sail set steady through the night

Friday 12th
Lat 25.26 Long 102.11
Strong breezes & cloudy heading W.b.S steering by the wind all sail set most of the day & night this ends this twenty four hours

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W S W

Saturday 13th
Lat 27.16 Long 102.34
Strong breezes & pleasant weather heading W.b.S & by the wind all sail set sent the new main topsail and put out a preventer fly jib took out reef this ends this day

Sunday 14th
Lat 30.32 Long 102.36
Light wind & pleasant weather carried all night sent a steering after sundown this ends this day

Bark Ida Lewis. 1875.

Sunday 15th Lat 30.50 Long. 102.20

Light wind till 3 P.M from the westward Coming E. N E sent a new fore sail & fore top sail sent out the fore top mast studding sail drove the oil this morning at ¼ of 7 P.M raised a large sperm whale of the weather bow luffed for him had his spouting out and went down saw nothing more of him kept off again before the wind fine breezes all night

Monday 16th Lat. 31.55 Long. 100. West

Light wind & foggy steering E. N E wind from S. South west wet hard & pumped ship pleasant through the night sounds

Wednesday 17th Lat 32.16 Long. 97.24

Strong breezes from the Southward steering East Commenced to cooper the oil so rough we did not finish stowed down 2 short casks and three kits at 8½ P.M took in the light sail at 10 set it again

Thursday 18th Lat 32.20 Long. 95. 13

Light wind from the Eastward with a heavy sea backed ship at 1/2 P.M steering by the wind heading S. S. E this ends this day

Friday 19th Lat 33.57 Long. 95.34

Light wind and pleasant steering by the wind heading S. S E all hands employed repairing & stowing down finished stowing and washed the ship all through inside

Saturday 20th Lat. 35.16 Long. 94.52

Light wind and pleasant steering East wind from the Northward sent the main sail

Bound to Tallahassa 1855

Sunday 21st Jany Lat 36°57 Long 92°39
Pleasant weather light breez from the S&E
S.E. to the S.W steering East this 24 hrs

Monday 22nd Lat 36°09 Long 91°32
Light breeze from the S.W. steering East
scraped the stantions and lash sail and
varnished them saw a school of porpoises
this A.M. at sundown wind hauled
round to the South East took in the studg
sail this 24 hrs it is twenty four hours

Tuesday 23rd Lat 35°19 Long 90°04
Light wind steering E.S.E by the wind
studing sail broke a boat gammed with ship
Constitution of Nantucket this 24 hrs stood
all night with the main sail up saw
a Boat to windward supposed to be from ship

Wednesday 24th Lat 34°17 Long 89°31
Pleasant weather wind from the E.S.E steering
by the wind sailing S.E. Gaming with the Constitution
tacked at 5 P.M. to the Southward saw a sail to windward
got a studding boom and ten gallons of paint oil this 24 hrs

Thursday 25th Lat 34°44 Long 89°52
Calm most of the day made a boat of
ship out of the old mainsail and put
head into them at 6 P.M gamed with
the Constitution hove out of our log
to die at midnight and a breze from the
westward this 24 hrs this day

Friday 26th Lat 35°18 Long 87°09
Pleasant with light wind from the westward
steering E.S.E at the mouth of Tombigbee river
Constitution and a pilot went by in sight with the Mail

Diary Kept from 1858

Saturday 27th Lat 36°.04' Long. 81°.52'

Cloudy weather wind hauled round to S.E this morning heading E & N.E. kept a parpus down through the night wore ship at 4 P.M. this day

Sunday 28th Lat 36°.30 Long. 81°.40

Strong breze & squally from the South steering E & N.E till noon at 1 P.M. set the Studding sails kept E & N. squally through the night & the day

Monday 29th Long. 78°.26 Lat 36°.53

Pleasant weather steering E. & S.E. wind South hauled out the parpus Fisher made seven points Variation

Tuesday 30 Lat 36°.50 Long. at noon 75°.35

Strong breze from the South steering E. & N.E. hauled down the studding sails and throwed them overboard at noon reefed the fore topsail at sundown furled the mainsail and layed to the wind in the night had a light gale from the South reefed the main topsail & close reefed the fore foresail & the spanker fore sail & fit wore ship at 9 heading off shore wore again at 12 set the fore sail & spanker & fit

Wednesday 31

Strong breze this morning saw St Marys island at daylight made all sail and steered N.E. & E. for Latitude Cape Hatteras at 4 P.M. Ships at anchor President Fleet off Hatteras E. & N.E. Cape Hatteras Thomas Kye Master

Journal in Tchatuma River 1833

Thursday 1st February

Pleasant wind from the south clear on the fore part and at 1 left of the ships for water and started a pipe of wine and flour into boys Captain wife went ashore this morning ships boys and Bark Catalpa sailed this day this and this day left another ship

Friday 2nd

Pleasant weather employed painting outside took off the cask of water & took 12 casks of oil on freight Captain Smith ashore at night on liberty Resident ashore a boat load of hides & tallow 12 gallons of spirits Bartholomew

Saturday 3rd

Pleasant weather employed stowing down water brought to boys flour and 6 hides of beef Resident ashore a lot of Eggs & tallow Smith ashore at night on liberty painting ship outside Thus ends this twenty four hours

Sunday 4th

Pleasant weather ship Courier arrived this morning at 9 Landed Smith ashore on liberty

Monday 5th

Pleasant weather employed painting ship outside Bartholomew ashore on liberty Bark Thomaston in and Courier out Bark

Tuesday 6th

Pleasant weather employed getting casks ship stores & Captain Smith

Left Port Louis Jr. Port
Stanley
1855

Wednesday 7th

Pleasant weather took 3 pipes ashore to fill with water and doing ships work &c. Starboard watch ashore on liberty. Time until this day

Thursday 8th

Pleasant weather took off the three pipes of water & some provisions & then Starboard watch ashore on liberty. Finished

Friday 9th

Winds variable this morning Starboard watch ashore on liberty employed getting ready for sea. Finished this day

Saturday 10th

Homeward Bound
1855

Pleasant weather light airs from East at 7 this morning one man runaway got underweigh at 9 A.M. in company with the Lydia of Lais Hewen the Peru & President of Stanwick the Orion of Nantes and the Entrance of Guilford bound from the South Shetlands passed close to the Lee yards strong breeze through the night set topsails & furled the jib and spanker hauled up the main sail at noon this day Doctor Burton came aboard and vaccinated all hands

Sunday 11th

Lat 36° 17' South

Light breeze steering by the wind heaving to M.B.P. saw the ships Lydia in sight the main topsail & close reefed fore in the first watch at 9 P.M. furled the jib and spanker

Pacific Ocean 1855

February

Monday 12th Lat 36.15 Long " "

Strong breezes steering by the wind heading W.S.W. wind from the South made sail in the night wet here this ends this day

Tuesday 13th Lat 36.10 Long " "

Cloudy weather light wind heading W.N.W. all sail set employed sewing new Sc. gallant sails & calm at midnight

Wednesday 14th Lat 37.24 Long 80.01

Pleasant weather steering W.S.W wind from the West at the Middle part. This morning employed stowing away whaling gear &c. had some rain this evening this ends this twenty four hours

Thursday 15th Lat 39.56 Long 80.00

Pleasant & Sc. cloudy W. by N. good breeze from the Northward steering W.S.W. all employed getting ready for Cape Horn at midnight the wind shifted to the South had some rain in the first watch & ends

Friday 16th Lat 41.21 Long " "

Light winds nearly calm heading W by N employed doing ship duty tacked twice during the day this ends this twenty-four hours had a ship this morning

Saturday 17th Lat 41.37 Long

Nearly calm all day heading South by East at dark had a breeze from the westward set the fore tip mast studding sails this ends

Sunday 18th Lat 43.12 Long 81.05

Strong breezes this 24 hours under all sail at 3 this morning set fore & main sail & mizen top gallant studding sails & mizen reefed topsail

Barque New Haven 1855

February

Lat 47°14 Long 81°16

Strong breeze from the S.W. steering by the wind set the mainsail fit & spanker in the morning watch at 2 P.M. hoisted the fit three cheers

Tuesday 20th Lat 47°14 Long 82°01

Strong breeze from the S.W. steering S.E. by E. & S.E. at 7 A.M. let the reefs out of the topsails and set the middle staysail & at eight at night with main shortened sail & cheers

Wednesday 21st Lat 46°27 Long 81°23

Squally this morning reefed the main topsail wind from the South steering by the wind at 12 made all sail calm at sunset shortened sail at 10 PM had a light breeze from the N. steering S.E. & E. & rainy through the night three cheers this twenty four hours

Thursday 22nd Lat 46°29 Long 82°20

Pleasant weather wind from the South made all sail at seven this morning steering S.W. & E. wind shifted to the S.E. at sunset took in the light sail and reefed the topsail in the first watch furled the mainsail spanker fit & fore topsail & close reefed the main saving all night. Thus ends this Day saw a sperm whale at 5 P.M. on the weather quarter going before it

Friday 23rd Lat 46°47 Long 81°40

A strong breeze and squally wind from the west steering N.E. set the fore topsail & from sail this morning at 8 took in the fore topsail & mainsail & hove her to at 1 set the fore topsail at 2 took it in & reefed the foresail and is pursuing & lying to

Homeward Bound. Pacific Passage. 1855.

February

Saturday 24th Lat 32.57 Long. 81.35

Cloudy weather made sail this morning wind from the N. & W. steering South at 12 kept off S & E set up a new topmast studding sail boom at 5 P. M. spoke the United States frigate St Lawrence bound home at sunset took in the light sail raining all day Thus ends this Day

Sunday 25th Lat 35.11 Long. 81.11

Fine weather wind from the S & W Eastward steering East most of the day in the first watch took in the light sail saw a large ship this morning steering to the Southward so ends this day

Monday 26th Lat 36.39 Long. 77.11

Strong breeze and cloudy wind from the S.W. & steering E. keeped the topsail this morning furled the jib & spanker saw a ship steering S.W. at 4 P.M. close reefed the main topsail furled the fore topsail & reefed the foresail at 7 furled the fore sail & hove her to raining all night with a strong gale from the South saw a ship at 9 steering West on the weather beam Thus ends this day

Tuesday 27th Lat 36.53 Long 74.15

Strong breeze wind shifted at 2 this morning to the West wore ship lay to the rest morning kept off steering E.S.E. set the fore sail at 8 A.M. shook 1 reef out of the topsails & fore sail at 9 raised a Sail steering the same way we are after dinner set the reef out of the main topsail ship about 2 miles off reefed the main topsail in the first watch Thus ends this

Day

Journal of Barque "Queen" Commanded by Wm C
March Entered the Atlantic
Lat " " Long " "

Wednesday 28th Begins the first with the wind from the N. Steering E. by S. & E at 6 P.M had all sail at 9 raised the Isle Sanires, Cuffd S. E. & E the Hungarian in sight about 3 miles off sailing with us Saw during the night a ship off the weather bow bound round the other way, had a slight of wind in the first watch to the S.W. took in the Gallant sails & fly jib & set them again this ends this twenty four hours

Thursday 1st March 1855
Lat 56 N 14 Long of staten land
Pleasant weather wind from the W. steering N.E.b.E. set the topmast & Gallant Studding sails this morning, saw neighbour in sight off the weather bow 4 miles off at sun set took in the studding sails and braced the yards pleasant all night thus ends this day

Friday 2nd Lat 54 N. 58 Long. 59.00
Pleasant most of the day wind from the S.S.W steering N.N.E at sun set took in the Gallant sails and fly jib equally through the night nothing in sight all day thus ends this day

Saturday 3rd Lat 53 N. 0 Long 56.00
Wind changed at 1 this morning to the W steering N.E. by E made all sail at daylight set the topmast studding sail equally through this day at 3 P.M. kept off E.N.E. at sun set took in the studding sails furled the main sail & got the Gallant sail stowed all night from the W.W with some squalls of rain thus ends this twenty four hours

Atlantic Passage 1853.

March

Sunday 4th Lat 50.40 Long 53.38

Strong breeze from the W.W. steering N.N.E at 10 p.m. reefed the top sails under the Mizzen gallant sail and reefed the main top sail at 4 A.M. let the reef out of the main topsail and one reef out of the fore in the first watch set the main de. gallant sail a few light sprinkles of rain. Through the night thus ends this twenty four hours

Monday 5th Lat 48.01 Long 50.00

Pleasant weather wind from the W.W. steering N.E.b.N. this A.M. set the Mizzen gallant & fore top mast studding sail after dinner sent up the main sail & a larboard fore top mast studding sail it took in the larboard studding sail pleasant with a light breeze. Thus ends this day

Tuesday 6th Lat 46.28 Long " "

Wind from the eastward steering N.E.b.N. at 6 this morning took in the main Royal and studding sails saw a ship yesterday on our larboard quarter had some sprinkles of rain to day thus ends this twenty four hours

Wednesday 7th Lat 43.53 Long

Pleasant at 2 this morning wind hauled to the southward steering N.E.b.N. set the main Royal and studding sails this morning at 8 A.M. wind hauled to the N.W. pleasant all night with a light breeze thus ends this twenty four hours

Thomas Brown
Ship Atlantic

Virginia Sea Green Homeward Bound 1855

Master

Thursday 8th Lat 42°10 Long 45°21

Pleasant weather with a fine breeze from the N.W all sail out this morning filled 2 pipes to windward with salt water saw some fin backs at 2 P.M took in the main royal fore & jibb sail & flyjib at 7 took in the main & fallantsail and reefed the top sails strong breeze and pleasant weather all night steering N.N.E to ends this day

Friday 9th Lat 39°45 Long

light wind from the N.N.W & pleasant steering by the wind heading N.E & E.N.E made all sail this morning pleasant through the night saw a fin back this ends this day

Saturday 10th Lat 37°25 Long

Head wind steering by the wind tacked at 6½ this morning heading N.W at 8 A.M wind hauled tacked again heading N.E.b.E all sail out employed taking up the steerage & washed off wet hole this ends this day

Sunday 11th Lat 36°38 Long 41°32

Pleasant weather wind from the N.E heading S.S.W ½ W fine wind all night this ends

Monday 12th Lat 36°11 Long 42°25

Light wind from the E.N.E steering N.E.b.E all hands employed till 10 A.M taking up 5 pipes of oil out of the steerage & cooperd it put it below again finished taking up the steerage & set the main royal & fore & fallant sail this ends this day

Atlantic Ocean 1845

Tuesday 13th Lat [illegible] Long [illegible]

[illegible] steering S.E. & E. think have made
all day nothing in sight no observation
to day thus ends this twenty four hours

Wednesday 14th Lat 32.18 Long 70.30

light wind nearly a calm [illegible]
latter in light airs employed shifting
the decks calm all night thus ends

Thursday 15th Lat 31.46 Long 71.15

Light wind from the NE this morning set the
studding sail at 11 A.M. had the wind from the N.E
took in the lee [illegible] studding sail employed [illegible]
the deck and latter steering by the wind
all day with a light breeze thus ends

Friday 16th Lat 30.23 Long 71.00

Fresh wind and ship at 6 this morning
steering by the wind heading N.E. took in
the fly jib & set it again at 7 P.M.
reefed the topsails at 8 struck the reef
out of the main topsail strong breeze all
night thus ends this twenty four hours

Saturday 17th Lat 29.27 Long 36.28 West

A strong breeze from the North steering by the
wind heading N.E.b.E. at 7 this morning reefed
the main topsail at 8 hauled up the main
sail and set the main spencer at 1 P.M.
set the main sail again at 6 made all
sail took in the fly jib in the first watch
& M. the [illegible] sail in the middle watch
so ends this twenty four hours

Barque Sea Queen Homeward Bound 1853

March

Sunday 18th Lat 28.21 Long 36.30

Strong breze from the North steering by the wind to the eastward reefed the fore & main topsails in the morning watch at 1 P.M. made all sail out the fore & gallant sail pleasant through the night winds

Monday 19th Lat cloudy Long " "

Wind shifted at 1 A.M. from the S.W. to the South made all sail steering N.E.b.E squalls of rain all through the day took down the Spanker & repaired it and bent it again Trade winds squally all night thus ends

Tuesday 20th Lat 23.27 Long 35.12 West

Squally weather wind from the S.S.E. steering N.N.E saw a french ship English Bark a American Sch. and saw another sail in the weather bow spoke the Sch. J. Hall from Rio bound to Philadelphia at 6 took in the light sail heavy squalls of rain & wind at 7½ called all hands reefed the top sails furled the jib & spanker and & furled the fore topsail & main sail. Set the fore topsail & main in the middle watch thus ends. this twenty four hours

Wednesday 21st Lat 20.58 Long 35.08

Squally weather wind from East to S.E steering by the wind took in the light sails in the squalls and set them again saw a ship off the weather bow raining all night took in the main gallant & fly jib in two or three times and set them again thus ends this twenty four hours

Atlantic Voyage 1855

March

Thursday 22nd Lat 16.13 Long 35.00

Light wind & pleasant wind from the East steering by the wind saw 4 or 5 sails employed making foxsheets & all clearing out the forehold this day

Friday 23rd Lat 17.43 Long 34.40

Pleasant weather steering by the wind heading NE employed putting down the fore & main rigging spoke the brig Susanah of Gothenburg from Rio Grande bound to Pernambuco thence to England for orders. got some wood out of her, at 1 PM sent aboard the brig Hazaltine of Bath Me. from Bales bound to Rio Janeiro, got a boat load of coal from her saw another sail to windward had some rain squalls through the night

Saturday 24th Lat 15.24 Long 34.38

Strong breeze from the E.S.E steering N.E. by E employed putting down the fore & main rigging Signalized an English & American Barks saw 2 other sails found the same way with two squalls through the night took in the staysails & main royal thus ends this twenty four hours

Sunday 25th Lat 12.47 Long 34.06

Pleasant weather made all sail this morning steering N.E. by E. wind from the S.E. Signalized the Bark Lonia of Boston saw two other sails squally through the night so ends

Monday 26th Lat 10.24 Long 34.18

Strong breeze from the S.E. in the A.M. with rain spoke the Bark Lonia from Rio Janeiro bound to New Orleans at 10 took in the light sail pleasant

tacked

Barque Sir Lyon Commd Bernall 1853

Tuesday 27th March

Lat 8 N 2 Long 23 W 15

Pleasant weather wind from the NE all said set steering N. till noon then kept off N.W.W employed tarring down & tipping up the rigging 2 sails in sight ahead thus ends

Chronometer to fair east

Wednesday 28th Lat 5 N 37 Long 34 W 23

Pleasant weather steering N.W.W before noon at 12 M kept off W.N.W to find the land, at 6 P.M tupped N.E.E all unit set saw no land three sails in sight all day. heavy rain squalls thro the night thus ends this day

Thursday 29th Lat 3 N 49 Long 36 W 22

Pleasant weather steering N.W.W in company with the Ship Herald of Boston. Captain on board of her. Employed tarring down & tipping the rigging. Bark seen in sight most of the day. pleasant all night thus ends this day

South

Friday 30th Lat 1 S 58 Long 36 00

Light breze & pleasant steering N.W.W 1/2 W. finished tarring down & commenced painting nothing in sight wind from the N.E. thus ends this twenty four hours

Saturday 31st Lat 1 04 South Long 38 W 36

Light winds & pleasant weather steering N.W.W 1/2 W wind from the N.E employed painting nothing in sight at noon saw set tupped N.W.W with table wind pleasant thus ends this twenty four hours

Atlantic Voyage 1854

April

Sunday 1st Lat 1.28 North Long 37.04 West
Light wind from the East all sail set steering S.W. by W pleasant things. So saw nothing during Tough the night caught a porpus in the middle watch this ends this day.

Monday 2nd Lat 2.41 North Long 40.20
Rainy most of the day wind from the S.E. steering N.W. by W saw a sail in the lee bow pleasant through the night this ends

Tuesday 3d Lat 4.51 Long 42.10
Pleasant weather wind from the S.E. steering N.W. by W all sail set nothing in sight this ends

Wednesday 4th Lat 7.07 N. Long 43.50
Pleasant weather steering N.W. by W. wind from the S.E. all sail set. Painted the fife bowm. S. to work in the studding sails ends this day

Thursday 5th Lat 9.29 Long 44.18
Pleasant weather wind from the S.E. steering N.W. by W. started 2 pipes of water from between decks into pipes on deck and filled the Butt. all sail set but the studding sails ends

Friday 6th Lat 11.45 Long 45.48
Pleasant weather wind from N.E. steering N.W. by W all sail set set up the main & fore deg allowing ends this twenty four hours

Saturday 7th Lat 13.30 Long 47.23
Light wind from the N.E. steering N.W. by N saw a shoal of black fish wet hole and pumped ship all sail set this ends this twenty four hours

Barque Ver Gleon. Homeward Bound 1855

April

Sunday 8th Lat. 15.00 N. Long.

Pleasant weather and a light breeze from the N.E. steering S.W. b S. meeting in sight all sail set thus ends this twenty four hours.

Monday 9th Lat. 16.17 Long. 24.

Pleasant weather steering N.W. Before 2 P.M. with a very light breeze. at 2 A.M. a strong breeze sprung up from the N. & W. Ths. kept hauling up till it got round into the N.E. employed painting ship steering N.W. & W. all sail set this ends

Tuesday 10th Lat. 17.45 Long. 31.22

Light airs and pleasant steering N.W. & W. all sail set employed painting ship inside Bark Falcon of Boston passed us this A.M. Captain sent a card of her from the East Indies bound to New York with a cargo of Coffee spice India rubber block tin &c. got a pig from her good breeze through the night from the N.E. thus ends this twenty four hours

Wednesday 11th Lat. 18.47 Long.

dead calm Light winds from the N.E. steering N.W. & S. Bark Falcon in sight ahead. Employed painting ship; all sail set thus ends

Thursday 12th Lat 20.18 Long

Pleasant weather with a fine breeze from the Eastward steering N.W. & W. employed painting. a large ship passed us this A.M. steering S.W. & W. saw a Bark in the weather bow. all sail set saw Gibraltar N.E. by E. good breeze through the night from the E.S.E. Thus ends this day

Atlantic Passage. 1853.

April

Friday 13th Lat. 22°15 Long. 55°55
Pleasant weather wind from the N.E. steering S.S.W. employed painting lids buckets & getting ready for home. had squalls of wind & rain from all points through the night & then moderate

Saturday 14th Lat 22°17 Long.
Light wind & calms steering N.W. wind from all points all sail set at 2 P.M. took in the studding sails and braced up on the starboard tack all hands went in swimming strong breezes through the night

Sunday 15th Lat. 24°13 Long.
Strong breeze from the N.E. steering N.W. set the Mizzen sail & fly jib this morning strong breeze through night so ends

Monday 16th Lat 25°46 Long 60°10
Pleasant weather wind from the N.E steering N.W. saw a propeller Barque this morning steering N.W employed painting buckets all sail set at 2 P.M took in the studding sails. wind hauled forward a little so ends

Tuesday 17th Lat. 27°12 Long. 61°40
Light wind steering by the wind heading N.W. wind from the N. squally through the night putting in reefs & so ends

Wednesday 18th Lat 28°15 Long
Light wind from the N.E. steering N.W. a ship in sight astern and we ahead all sail set doing nothing

Barque Sea Queen Homeward Bound 1853

Lat 29.09 Long 64.05

Thursday 19th April

Light wind from the N.E. steering S.W. saw 3 vessels and a steamer bound to the Southward. Saw a Brig came handy to us lowered a boat to board her but the would not let us come alongside of. no name on her stern supposed her to be engaged in some unlawful business she was steering S.E. under short sail Calm nearly all night this ends

Friday 20th Lat 29.49 Long ....

Light wind and pleasant steering S.W. wind till noon. wind hauled to the S.W. steered N.W. all sail set. Spoke the English Bark Perrock Hall from St Kitts bound to London with a cargo of Sugar Rice and 9 passengers aboard. strong breeze through the night from the W.S.W. so ends

Saturday 21st Lat 31.27 Long. 66.35

Strong breze from the S.W. till 1 P.M. shifted to the N.E. steering S.W. nothing in sight strong breze all night so ends

Sunday 22nd Lat 32.35 Long 68.40

Light wind from the East steering S.W. by W. all sail set light wind through the night this ends this day

Monday 23rd Lat 33.59 Long 70.38

Light wind from the N.N.E. steering by the wind heading S.W. all sail set saw [illegible] sail & a fine breeze this morning this ends this

Atlantic Passage 1855

April

Tuesday 24th Lat 31°11 69 Long 71°5½ West

Pleasant weather steered N. wind from the Southward all sail set washed out the Fore castle & furniture and took up some beef & pork thus ends this twenty four hours

Wednesday 25th Lat 31°11 32 Long 71°5½

Strong breeze from the S.W steering N.E by E. at 10 A.M. spoke the Ship Ellarisa from Philadelphia steering S.E crossed the gulf to day. Saw two other vessels through the day. Reefed the topsails at midnight and hauled down the jib. Split Sail and furled the mainsail thus ends this twenty four hours

Thursday 26th Observation.

Fine breeze from the E.S.E steering N.N.E all sail set at 12 A.M. hove the lead sounded in 35 fathoms of water and saw the light. sail at 2 P.M. sounded in 35 fathoms and bufeted by the wind off shore at 4 P.M. got an observation made the Latitude 72°43 West of N.E.B and set the mainsail foresail and fly jib at 6 P.M. hove to and sounded in 35 fathoms of water saw the light in the fly jib and the foresail sail. Reefed topsails & furled the mainsail hauled up the starboard chain and sounded every hours throughout the day

Friday 27th

[illegible] Montauk light bore N.N.E Montauk light steering by the wind making N.E by E. [illegible] kept off at 10 A.M. a pilot boat with black bottom up the main [illegible] at 1 P.M. entered off L. Island

The Jealous young man

In Oxford city there lived a fair maid
As fair a one as you'll ever hear
She was courted by a servant boy
Who oftimes told her he loved her dear

The fourth fair one was courted after
And an invitation to a ball to go
This jealous young man was followed after
All for to prove her and overthrow

He drew his knife with a bitter
With jealousy was in his mind
And he stabbed his own true lover
Thus this jealous young man died

He mixed up a box of poison
And put it in a glass of wine
And gave it to his own true lover
Who drunk it off most cheerfully

So in court there he was tried
For the crime you have now heard
He pleaded guilty for which you see
Hanged by your neck to a tall tree

So I've more nothing from Exeter
This jealous young man was found to be
I put down in your register
As I am to take your trial like a man

So I'll drink of the same myself too
As I've poisoned as well as thee
So in each of these arms they died
This young man beware of jealousy

J. Pearman

I one night sat musing until I came to mind
Of that brave hero I've written in my pi[illegible]w
When a vision surprising came into my head
And I thought I was crossing the billows;
I thought that my vessel dashed over the deep
Towards that huge rock which hangs craggy and steep
That rock where the willow is seen to weep
O'er the grave of that once famed Napoleon.

I thought as my vessel drew near to the land
I espied a lad in green a bold figure
And a trumpet of fame he held firmly in his hand
And on his brow blew prime firmness and vigour
O stranger he cried why hast thou ventured to me
From a land that thy forefathers boast thou art free
I'll tell thee a story true story I'll tell unto thee
Concerning that once famed Napoleon.

[illegible]
When you crossed the rude deep, came and stay
With the Legions of France whose sons were my pride
And I marched them to honour wide wore;
[illegible]
Wherever my banner or eagle soared
Thro' a shower of grape shot all over the world
And o'er [illegible] famed Napoleon.

[illegible] June [illegible] heat and the cold
And I've marched to the trumpet with symbol
But by base deeds, knowing I have been sold
The monarchs arose me did tremble;
Now sisters and princes you stations forbear
All like serpents you spit forth your venom and spleen
But [illegible] over this world shall remain
Yes I rise from my tomb like Napoleon.

I Know I shall never do
For to the grave I shall go
To hear of Death it has taken me
For happiness I cannot see.

The scriptures I cannot decline
Nor right or wrong I can't define
Although my name therein are found
May be to me an empty sound.

These lines my friend you may now read
And search the scriptures with all speed
And my name if you don't find it there
I should think it strange I do declare.

But if my name you find it not
I think that you will have no doubt
The truth I tell tis not a lie
I never shall know Eternity.

B. A. F.
Barque Sea Queen

		Spoken by		Remarks
		Set sail to		Obtain Seals
	Lincoln	Boston		
	Congress	New Bedford	Capt.	Mellen
	Indian	New Bedford	Capt.	Cleveland
	Callao	New Bedford	Capt.	Weston
	Congress	New Bedford	Capt.	Mendall
	Lexington	Nantucket	Capt.	Bunker
	President	Nantucket	Capt.	Folger
	Charles	New Bedford	Capt.	Manchester
	Hazard	New Bedford	Capt.	Hamden
	Phebia Maria	Nantucket	Capt.	Folger
Bark	Eugenia	New Bedford	Capt.	Wood
	Harbinger	Westport	Capt.	Cornell
Bark	Peru	Nantucket	Capt.	Starbuck
	Swan	New Bedford	Capt.	Nevins
	William Watch	Fair Haven	Capt.	Rowland
	Esplendido	Callao	Capt.	Hazel
Bark	Hesperides	Callao	Capt.	Mitchell
	Mariner	Nantucket	Capt.	Coffin
	Courier	New Bedford	Capt.	Howland
	Leonidas	New Bedford	Capt.	Clark
Bark	Pantheon	New Bedford	Capt.	Worth
Bark	Columbus	New Bedford	Capt.	Cox
	Hero	Nantucket	Capt.	Mc Kenne
Bark	Marion	Liverpool	Capt.	
	Philip P. Delmont	Fair Haven	Capt.	Pierce
	Rousseau	New Bedford	Capt.	Cox
Bark	Montgomery	New Bedford	Capt.	Cushing
	Industry	Callao	Capt.	
	Swan	Hamburgh	Capt.	Rheliger
	Maria	Liverpool	Capt.	Hopkins
	Roman	Nantucket	Capt.	Haughton
	Constitution	Nantucket	Capt.	Winslow
Bark	Lafayette	New Bedford	Capt.	Allen
Bark	John A Parker	New Bedford	Capt.	Howes
Bark	Isis	New Bedford	Capt.	Nutter
	Ann Eliza	Callao	Capt.	
	Maria	Nantucket	Capt.	Coffin

Benjamin A Freeman D.
to Capt Joseph Marshall

Tuesday	6 at 25	to 6 lbs oil soap	$ .50
Friday	" 28	to 2 lbs tobacco	.80
Tuesday	Dec 6	to 2 lbs tobacco	.80
Tuesday	March 14	to 2 pair Shoes	$3.00
Monday	April 3	to Cash	2.00
Wednesday	" 5	to Cash	2.00
Friday	" 7	to Cash	2.00
Sunday	" 9	to Cash	2.00
Wednesday	" 12	to Cash	2.00
Monday	" 17	to Cash	3.00
Tuesday	18	to Cash	1.00
	Received one letter in Talcahuana		
Thursday	May 4	to 1 Jack knife	
	5	to 7 lbs Oil soap	
Friday	8	received one letter in payt	1.00
Monday	"	to Cash	
Tuesday	27	to 2 lbs Tobacco	.80

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Mrs Martin Van Buren
Troy Troy Onalaska Pinkney
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Henry Powers

Tuesday	6 to 25	to 6 lbs oil soap	$ .50
Friday	" 28	to 2 lbs Tobacco	.80
Tuesday	Dec 6	to 2 lbs Tobacco	
	Jan	to 2 lbs Tobacco	.80
Tuesday	March 14	to 1 pr Shoes Benjamin	$2.50
Monday	April 3	to Cash	1.50
Wednesday	" 5	to Cash Benjamin	2.00
Friday	" 7	to Cash A Bedford	2.00
Sunday	" 9	to Cash	2.00
Wednesday	" 12	to Cash	2.00
Monday	" 17	to Cash	3.00
Tuesday	" 18	to Cash	2.50
	Received one letter in Talcahuana		
Saturday	June 17	to 1 pr thin Boots and 1 Strapped Shoes	

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22¾
Pilot Fish
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20
25
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100
22¾
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